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Bonnie Pentney of Minden is the only Master Gardener in Haliburton County. It's her job to answer any gardening question thrown her way so if your Veronica is creeping or your Hearts are Bleeding, Pentney can help you out. See story, page 3.

Marijuana seized in raid

There was big excitement in the Soyers Lake area last week when OPP discovered people were growing plants that don't fit in Canada's Food Guide.

Two hundred marijuana plants and growing equipment worth \$250,000 were seized from a house on Camp Allsaw Road on Wednesday.

The day's events started when members of the OPP's Kawartha Combined Forces Drug Unit, Central Region Canine Unit and Haliburton

Highlands detachment stopped a vehicle on Highway 35, south of Minden.

The vehicle contained a large quantity of marijuana and hydroponic growing equipment.

The OPP stopped the vehicle as a result of information received.

Two people, both 43, from Toronto, were subsequently charged with possession for the purpose of trafficking and production of a controlled substance.

Three bucks more

Proposed tax increase in Algonquin Highlands less than a burger and fries

by ALLISON TAYLOR
Times staff

Property owners in Algonquin Highlands face less than one per cent tax hike, according to a draft budget councillors have been mulling over for the last week.

Armed with rulers, spectacles and lots of drinking water, councillors went through line-by-line of proposed budgets from each department and committee in the township.

Dealing with what Reeve Eleanor Harrison referred to as department 'wish lists' in some cases, council was forced to make major reductions to the original draft budget.

"We have a lot of work to do," Harrison said before discussions even got under way.

If the township did not scrutinize departmental budgets, the rate payers in the municipality would've faced a municipal tax increase of 14 per cent, said Gerald Bain, chief administrative officer and clerk for the township.

"I think everyone would agree that this is not too acceptable and that we need to make reductions in the budget," he said.

Reduce they did.

It took several hours, but councillors worked their way through thick green binders to find a much

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New CEO on the job

Keith Sansford is quickly immersing himself in the operations of Haliburton Highlands Health Services. Last Monday, he became its new CEO, replacing a retiring Foster Loucks. Sansford says that, when he read the job description, he thought it described him to a tee: a person with experience in a broad range of healthcare services who loves living in a rural environment. Born in St. Anthony's, a small village on the northeast coast of Newfoundland, he became CEO of one branch of the large health services organization there before moving east to Ontario. His last job before coming to the Highlands was running a long-term care centre in Toronto.

Nothing's in stone as budget talks carry on — and on

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smaller municipal tax rate increase of 0.78 per cent.

That 0.78 per cent is equivalent to \$2.70 on a \$100,000 residential assessment, or \$348.40 in 2002, up from \$345.70 in 2001.

These numbers only reflect the municipal tax rate and they do not include a three per cent increase already implemented at the county level. Property owners from all four municipalities will be feeling that pinch.

Some extra money went into waste management, Bain said, but because the numbers are still preliminary Bain couldn't say for certain where most of the extra municipal spending would end up. Once the township officials have had some time to work with the numbers they will be able to compare how the money was spent compared to last year.

Councillors had some lengthy discussions on proposed budgets for the Stanhope

Fire Department, trails, waste management, the Stanhope Airport and on municipal roads.

The process was also difficult for the newly amalgamated township because it only had one full year of expenditures and revenues to compare against, Harrison said.

Nothing is in stone until the actual budget by-law is passed.

To have the same budget as last year and to keep municipal tax rates at the same level, the township would have to cut another \$52,000 from the current budget.

Further budget discussions will be held over the next few weeks until a final draft

is taken to council for approval. Harrison wanted council to have some time to mull over the numbers and "to allow time in case other things happened," she said.

The total tax impact on property owners, including education taxes, won't be known until the final draft is passed at council.



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Master of her garden

Bonnie Pentney is the only Master Gardener in Haliburton County ... and it shows

by ALLISON TAYLOR
Times staff

There's a master living in Minden and her name is Bonnie Pentney.

Give her a hosta and she'll know what to do with it; ask her how to get rid of creeping Veronica and she'll find a way to do it. From perennials to annuals and anything in between, when it comes to gardening, Pentney is not only the main squeeze of her garden but she is also the master.

As a master gardener it's Pentney's job to know the answers to all sorts of gardening questions, and if she doesn't know answers, "I do whatever it takes to find them," she says with a look of seriousness from her usually gleaming smile.

The title master gardener is not something Pentney takes lightly, especially because right now she is the only person with such a designation in the county.

Acting as gardening information sources, master gardeners are experienced green thumbs who enjoy volunteering their time to provide reliable and accurate information to the public on any subject related to gardening. These individuals might give presentations, answer questions or find ways to bring gardening into the forefront of the community. They basically want to help the general public and encourage gardening in the province.

The Ontario Master Gardener Program is a non-profit organization, accredited through the University of Guelph. Master gardeners-in-training take courses through correspondence with the university, read lots of books and meet with other enthusiasts to, well... get dirty.

The lively and energetic Minden resident first heard about the course for master gardeners several years ago from an old friend of hers who recently died. Right away Pentney says she knew it was something she wanted to try.

"It's a great feeling to see a plant and be able to identify it," she says with a smile from ear to ear. "I also like to know answers to gardening questions."

Since there wasn't a master gardening group in the Haliburton Highlands, for nearly two years Pentney drove to Lindsay to work with a group of other garden enthusiasts also enrolled in the program.

"It was my main intention to be certified as a master gardener and then share my knowledge with the rest of the county," she said from an office at Home Hardware last week, where Pentney and her husband are co-owners. "I really felt there was a need for mastering gardening here."

There are currently 800-plus Master Gardeners in Ontario volunteering their time towards gardening projects that benefit the community. These gardeners are required to volunteer 30 hours yearly to garden-related projects. The volunteering is the fun part, she says.

Pentney's passion for plants and gardens started when she was a budding 19-year-old.

With 25 indoor plants in her apartment in



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Bonnie Pentney (above, peeking out from greenery and, below, cleaning up the yard) has had a passion for plants since she was a teenager. There are more than 800 Master Gardeners in Ontario but she's the only one in the Highlands.

Haliburton, Pentney's first recollection of her green thumb burgeoned with the aid of Miracle-Gro.

The brand-name plant fertilizer was a favourite plant food used by an elderly couple who lived next door to Pentney.

"They taught me how to use it," she says using her hands to help express herself, "I still remember them to this day talking about Miracle-Gro."

As the saying goes, everything else just seemed to flourish from there.

Those 25 plants slowly grew and after the Miracle-Gro started to do its job, Pentney learned about the world of plants outside her apartment.

The mother of three now has what she calls "mega gardens" at her home in Minden, where 50 acres of land (and potential gardening space) is at her disposal.

She says the gardens are her domain and the rest of her family doesn't seem to mind.

Pentney has more than 15 elaborate gardens stemming from her property, where each plant has its own identification tag or name-plate for quick classification. A small creek runs through the yard and trees are scattered throughout to add another dimension to her work of art.

"It's still early in the year," she says of



her neatly manicured garden, which is slowly coming to life after a long winter. While she has started mulching the majority of her gardens, there are still a few that need attention.

"I just haven't had time yet."

Boasting nearly 100 different varieties of hostas (her favourite perennial), she walks straight to the plant known to succeed in the shade.

"Oh, you're coming out so good," she

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Pentney household has 'mega-gardens'

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says to the plant, as if it were one of her family members.

"There's just a feeling that I get when I walk around the garden," she says touching her chest, "it gives a real sense of accomplishment."

While the greenhouse sits empty right now, Pentney says it will start to fill up once the weather stays warm.

For Pentney, her passion is also her career.

By night she works in her garden, and by day she is co-owner of Minden's Home Hardware and an overseer of the gardening department.

"It's great exercise and it keeps me feeling young at heart," she says, of the nine or ten hours a day she spends bonding with bulbs and gardens.

She seems to thrive on the fresh air, offering an unwavering degree of effervescence on anything related to gardens.

As a result, the master gardening course has not only helped her polish her general knowledge about the plants in her gardens, but it also animated her love of anything to do with plants.

She insists that master gardeners cannot benefit financially from their volunteer work, and is hesitant to include her day-time job in the article.

Being a master gardener is about helping other people with gardening questions, it's not about making a living, she says.

On the issue of her new title, Pentney admits the word 'master' is a little strong, "maybe it's even presumptuous," she says, as her selflessness and pure love of gardening stems through her emotions.

"I love to garden and I'm really interested in it. I think most of us would agree that being a master doesn't necessarily mean you know all the answers."

The program has also helped improve her own communication skills, while helping her fine-tune her abilities to speak in

front of crowds and make a difference in the community.

Now, she seems to thrive from sharing her information with others.

As youth co-ordinator at the Minden District Horticultural Society, she has volunteered to help get kids involved in gardening at Archie Stouffer Elementary School.

She works with the kids, showing them how to propagate plants, mulch and manure, compost and weed.

"The learning never stops and the sooner you start learning the more information you will retain," she says.

For now, Pentney's master gardening work in Minden has only just begun.

The master gardening course is off and running.

She has been blown away by the interest in the program.

"It's been awesome," she says.

Right now there are 23 people preparing to take the entrance multiple choice test, on basic gardening questions. If they pass the test they are required to spend around \$600 on books for the course, will be required to sign a contract and will then be committed to 30-hours of volunteer work.

While many of the enthusiasts who have signed up for the course are people who are already actively involved in gardening and landscaping, Pentney says anyone can sign up.

The group is very diverse, from 20 to 70 year-olds, she says.

Monthly meetings will cover a plethora of issues, and when it's all said and done, there will be more than one certified master in Minden.

A good friend of Pentney's, Pauline Plooard, has been taking courses in Lindsay for a while, and has also been a great help to Pentney in getting the program off the ground in the Highlands.

For more information on the program call Pentney at 286-4965 or email her at bonniepentney@hotmail.com.

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Bonnie Pentney, left, talks with Teresa Wallace and Ursula Borysiuk, both Master Gardeners in training.

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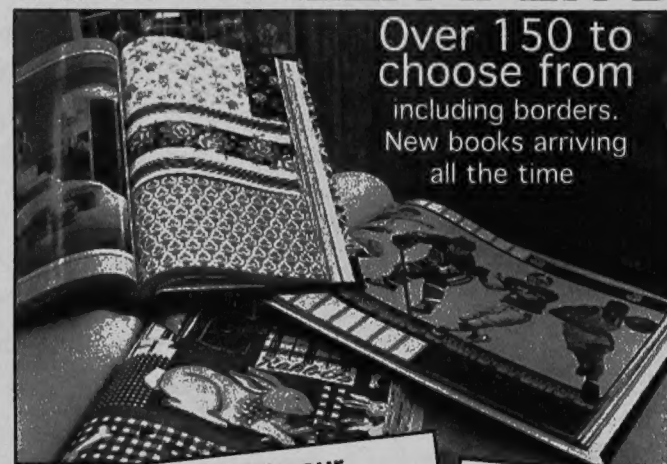
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Goin' south

If going to Toronto is what it takes to get 9-1-1 here faster than Dave Bulford is southbound

by ALLISON TAYLOR
Times staff

If driving to Toronto will help the 9-1-1 committee get on track, Dave Bulford is ready to put the kilometres on his vehicle.

As a member of the Hall-Hawk Lake Association, Bulford got an email from the local 9-1-1 project co-ordinator, Stephen Foster, notifying him and other Haliburton County Cottage and Road Associations of a meeting at the Scarborough Civic Centre on May 9.

"I think they realize there's a big untapped source of information in the lake associations," Bulford said.

Although he is a full-time resident in the Highlands, Bulford estimated that 83% of residents in his lake association don't live locally and the meeting would help keep any residents who live in the Toronto area abreast of the situation.

"The county of Haliburton is committed to the implementation of 9-1-1 on behalf of all its citizens by July 1, 2004. However, it cannot achieve this objective by just combining various pieces of information it already has. Instead, there must be a joint effort of the county and its citizens to bring the information together," the email said. "In a nutshell, we have to make a connection between telephones and buildings, buildings and driveways, driveways and access roads so that we may link them all to the new civic addresses." The meeting will deal with the role of cottage and road associations.

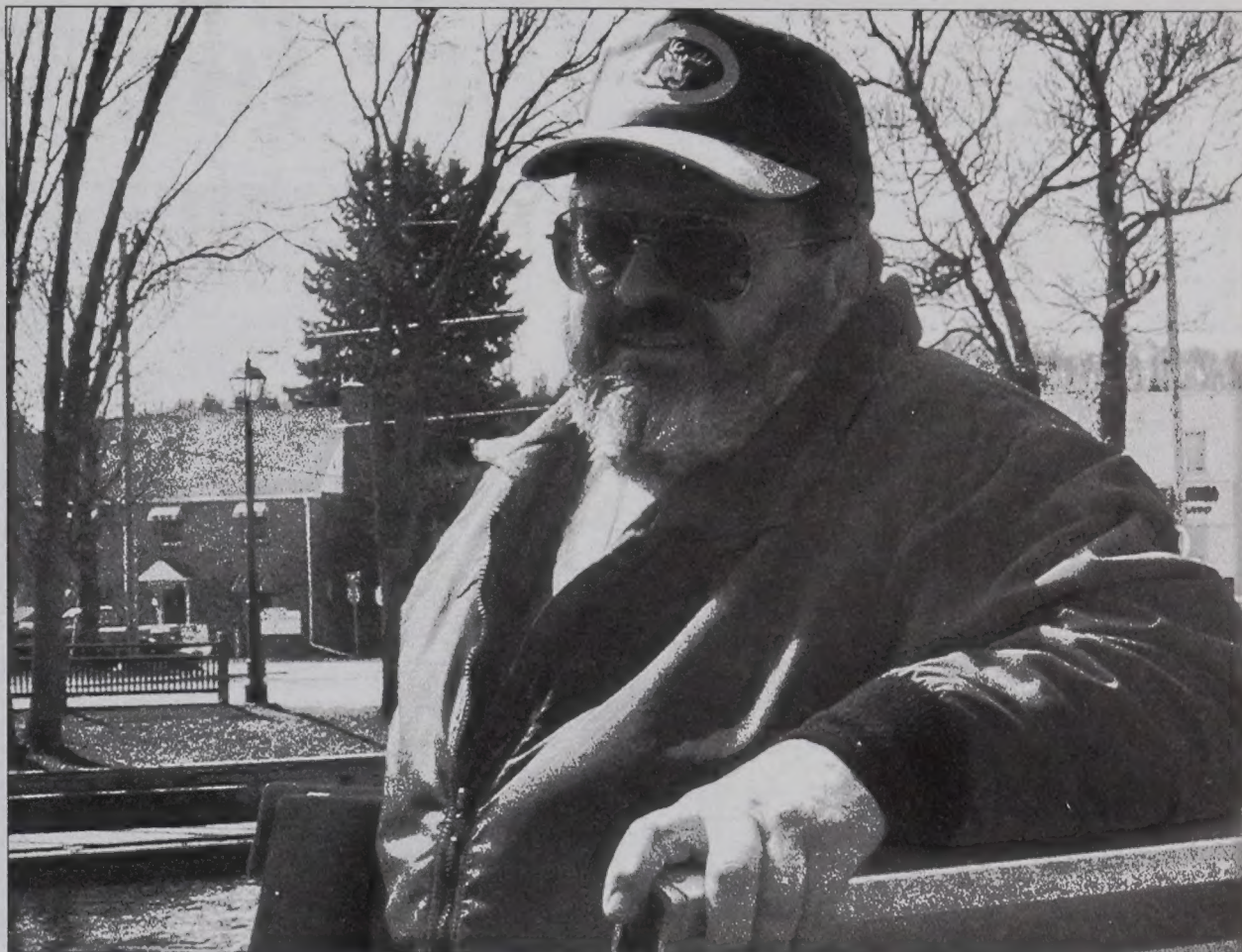
Bulford says he has a personal interest to get this project going. He has even built a database with information pertinent to the 9-1-1 project.

The project started about a year ago and has blossomed to include all residents on the three lakes including Big Hawk, Little Hawk and Halls Lake, he said.

The membership has around 250 people, but more than 900 names are on his database. A lot of the information on Bulford's list is straight from the municipal offices, he said. "I'm doing all the spade work and I hope I'm helping."

The meeting will take place at the Scarborough Civic Centre at 150 Borough Drive at 7 p.m. Another meeting could be set in Minden if necessary. For more information call the 9-1-1 committee at 286-2306 or email at 911@county.haliburton.on.ca.

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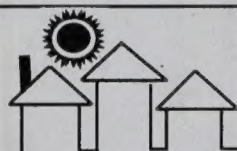
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Medals galore for Minden man

by JERRY GROZELLE
Times staff

The medals keep rolling in for Canada's first master baker and Minden resident Marian Markowski. He recently returned from the Bakery Showcase 2002 with his fifth consecutive medal, this time a silver.

The event is held every two years, with the best pastry chefs vying for top honours in numerous categories.

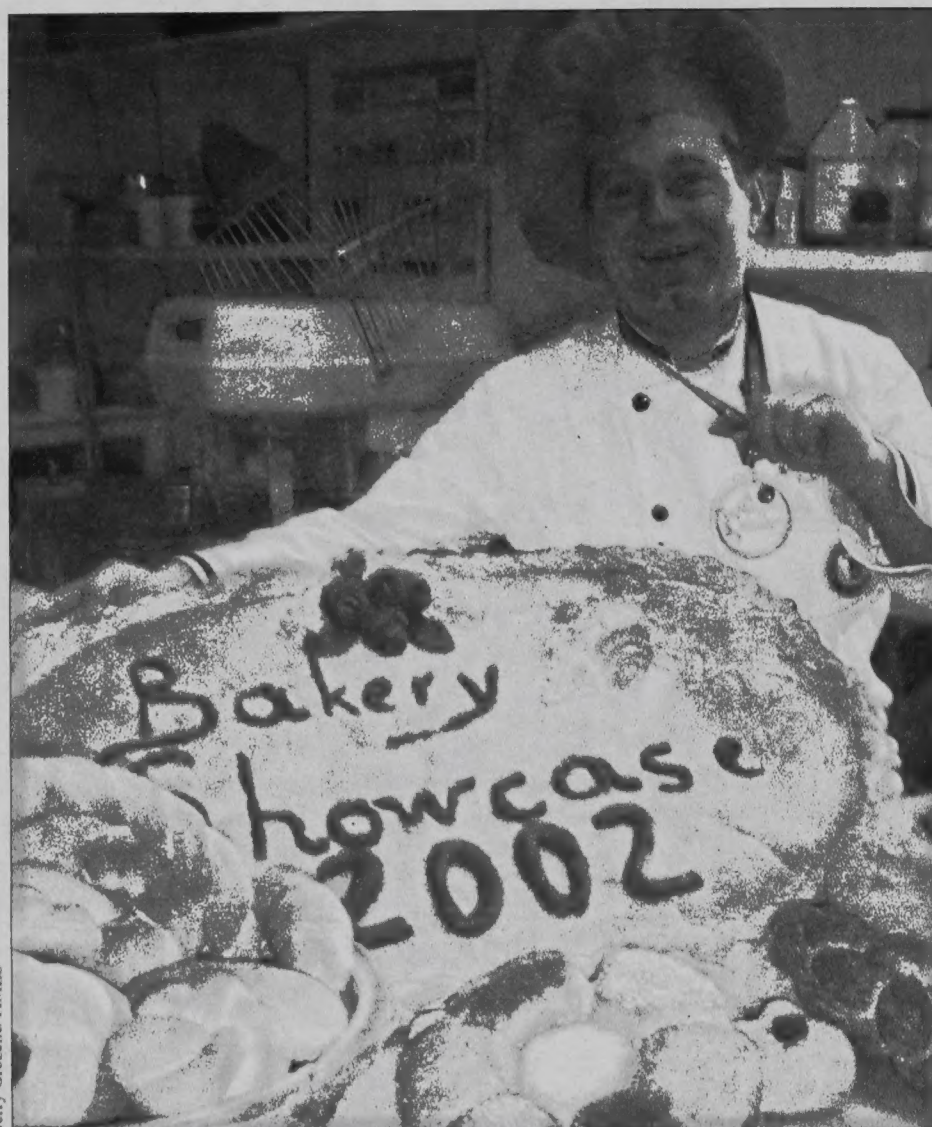
Markowski competed in the B1 Bread Category and the B3 Display Piece and Arrangement Category.

Markowski had planned to enter four categories, but was only allowed to compete in two. So, he decided on the Specialty Breads - Health and Nutrition Innovations category and the Baker's Showcase Display category.

The bread category required bakers to produce eight loaves, plus three dozen rolls. His entries were salt free bread, spelt bread and rye and rice bread. Spelt bread is made with a special spelt flour, sugar, yeast, salt and whey powder, Markowski explained. He noted that at his store, he often gets requests for specialty bread products from people who have allergies to some of the more common types of bread.

"I titled my bread entry To Your Health," Markowski said, "and the display entry I called Showtime."

New rules in the competition allowed companies to enter teams of chefs, where individuals competed in previous events. This year, Markowski placed second to a team of pastry chefs from the Four Seasons chain of hotels. Although competing as an individual against teams, Markowski took the increased competition in stride. Instead of saying he was at a disadvantage, he said only that he was very proud of his silver medal. He has earned four gold medals at this competition in the



Marian Markowski earned silver at the Bakery Showcase.

past. He finished fourth this year in the baker's showcase display category.

Accomplishing what he has at this year's Baker's Showcase is even more impressive when you consider that Markowski traveled back and forth from the show to Minden to do the baking that

was necessary to keep his business stocked. He admits he didn't get much sleep during the three days of the show, which was held April 28-30. This year was the 22nd (44th year) of the event.

Markowski seems equally proud of the fact that he has put Haliburton County on the map in the culinary world.

"When I started in this competition, nobody knew where Minden or Haliburton were," he said. "Now I have people asking me what it's like here, what

the property prices and taxes are like; what labour costs are; what the roads are like; and what the winter conditions are like. Now they ask me for advice. Haliburton County is now the capital of baking, with the first master baker. More people are interested."

Always the ambassador, Markowski points out to anyone who asks about opportunities for locating here that Haliburton County is only two hours from Toronto.

He has been nominated as a director of the Baking Association of Canada, an honor which puts him in the company of some of the top businesses and organizations in Canada, including the Southern Alberta Institute of Technology, A&P Company of Canada, Canada Bread Ltd., Weston Bakeries, Stone Hearth Bakery, George Brown College, Dover Mills Ltd. and others.

"Everybody knows those names," he said.

Directors of the Association, who play a key role in the Canadian baking industry, meet monthly and Markowski said he hopes to be able to entice the group to hold one of its meetings in Minden. Meetings are held at various locations across the country.

More than 5,000 companies were represented at the Bakery Showcase 2002.

The local master baker is a member of the Pastry Guild and he has been asked to make a presentation. He hopes to bring the group here, which will expose them to the advantages of Haliburton County life. He would like to have a meeting here in the fall.

Markowski said competing at the Bakery Showcase is not about the prize money - he earned just \$250 for his silver medal win, which would hardly pay for his travel back and forth to the Toronto Congress Centre and the entry fees.

"It's about the prestige," he said, adding that it is for fun and the fact that he gets to mingle with friends. "For me, it was quite an experience."

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Margaret Angrave holds up narwhale tusk she picked up while working in the Arctic. Items from her collection will soon be displayed at Agnes Jamieson Gallery.

Art with international appeal

by KENNETH JACKSON
Special to The Times

The local art gallery will soon have a show with an international flavour, says the gallery administrator.

Dianne Graham of the Agnes Jamieson Gallery said the gallery will showcase art from three immigrants who make up the Broken English Artists and artifacts from Arctic, lent by Margrat Angrave.

"The idea came from a conversation I had with Margaret, and she told me about all the artifacts she collected in her time working in the Arctic," said Graham. "It will be exciting for the people to see."

Angrave worked as a vocational teacher and public health nurse from 1969-1975.

"I taught the Inuit how to use an electric stove and when you are an Inuit woman and you are faced with a electric stove you don't know what high, low or medium is. I showed them how to cook jello powder and what did they know...they were entranced," said Angrave.

During her travels from settlement to settlement she said you always "pick something up."



"You always went to the little craft stores and picked up pieces, but the big bonanza for me was in my office when a white man who was married to an Inuit woman decided to give up all his worldly belongings. And he brought them all to the office and they were all for sale. So that is where I got most of my artifacts," she says.

She said some were given to her as gifts from her students.

"When I was on Baffin Island, one of my students carved a little polar bear for me. I gave that to one of my nieces."

She says she doesn't have very many artifacts, but what she does have is meaningful.

"I don't have a lot of things, but I do

have some wonderful Inuit prints. One in particular is very expensive. It's an original print from Cape Dorset."

Besides carvings she also is lending rugs and parkas to the Gallery.

The other main attraction will be the aforementioned Broken English Artists.

"Three artists will be featured at the gallery, Egg artist Anna Won Mi Lee, Ceramic artist Alexander Kastulin and painter Frances Leu. They are immigrants learning English who have a knack for art," said Graham.

The artists were discovered two years ago by their English as a Second Language teacher, Barbara Rosen.

"One of my students approached me with some of her art and when that happened other artists emerged," said Rosen.

They got their start at the Central Gallery in North York, where Rosen was working. From there they have moved on to camps, classes and now the Agnes Jamieson Gallery.

"It's nice to bring my students to a place where art really thrives. Plus it's a good for them to meet other Canadian artists because our culture is much different from theirs."



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At this time of year, spring grass and wood debris can dry out in half a day and will readily ignite from open flames and glowing embers will spread rapidly in open areas.

The Ministry requests that you adhere to local by-laws and provincial burning regulations when burning grass, brush and woody debris. Consider postponing burning until appreciable amounts of rainfall are received.

The Ministry of Natural Resources appreciates the public's cooperation in being cautious with open burning at this time of year.

To report grass, brush or forest fires please call 1-888-863-3473.

For more information on open fire burning contact your municipal office or the local Ministry of Natural Resources Office for information on safe burning and fire permits.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

Waiting for the Big Clean

Have you noticed how much neater properties in Minden Hills are now that the Clean and Clear by-law has been passed?

We haven't either, but we expect a lot more activities at the local landfill sites over the next several weeks as property owners take the bold step of gathering up that unsightly (to some) previously enjoyed "treasure" they have accumulated in the front yard and placing it in a more appropriate location. Unfortunately, some of those treasures may end up long stretches of secluded side roads within the municipality for municipal staff to pick up. "But, hey, that's what we pay the staff to do," the clandestine midnight refuse depositors will reason.

We can only hope the majority of those "collectors" whose cache of vintage junk may be deemed an eyesore, have more respect for the municipal road system or the property of others than they do for their own. Municipal staff time is much too valuable to be wasted picking up after those bent on avoiding tipping fees.

All joking aside, a property standards by-law can be a good thing – as long as it doesn't become a tool for neighbours who don't get along to harass each other.

It will be interesting to see if the by-law has any real teeth. There are bound to be disputes and it's only a matter of time until the municipality will be required to defend a clean-up order in court. We can only wait to see what type of complaints are lodged and how they are handled.

The by-law may just be the incentive necessary to spur a few people to take a bit more pride in the appearance of their property, and that would be welcomed.

Will the by-law be a positive influence or will it be an unenforceable pain in the neck for staff? Time will tell.

Meanwhile, we can only expect the worst and hope for the best.

— j.g.



IMAGES OF THE HIGHLANDS

Woodpile beside Highway 118

by ALLISON TAYLOR/TIMES

TO THE EDITOR

Times readers write

Ex-Chamber manager speaks out

To The Editor:

"I have learned that it takes years to build up trust and it only takes innuendos, not proof, to destroy it." Anonymous.

I have been the subject of some commentary in recent months and I feel that now is the time to allow your readers the opportunity to hear the facts about my position with the Chamber of Commerce, as the current President of the Chamber has, in my opinion, not been clear in her public statements. It is important to stick to the facts, to avoid innuendos and whispers. I am proud of my contribution and proud to be part of the business community in the Haliburton Highlands.

In November of 1999 I was hired by the Haliburton Highlands Chamber of Commerce to implement the Randolph Report, a marketing report commissioned by the County and given to the Chamber to implement. I moved here with the desire to make a change in the county, to give its residents more opportunities for better jobs and better lifestyle. To give the youth of this county a reason to stay rather than having to move if they want to make a decent living. To help move the county away from being dependent on one or two business sectors for its economic life and health. I also

moved here to give my wife and family a special lifestyle, to become part of a vibrant and active community with a bright and, hopefully, promising future.

Now as to the facts. Here are some of the accomplishments that were made during my time as the General Manager / Tourism Manager / Economic Developer at the Chamber:

I worked with the Ministry of Tourism in structuring a funding grant of \$250,000 to promote the county. Through these funds we were able to: Create a new and distinctive image brand for the county; build a signature web site that promotes the county to the world; redesign the county's destination guide; create a new and distinctive display booth for trade shows; commence the development of a signature event for the county; commence the creation of new and distinctive promotional brochures; and commence the exploration of attracting European and Japanese visitors to the Highlands;

Beyond the provincial funding we were able to: Create a "Haliburton Image" that has been used extensively in print advertising that promotes the County; Obtain funding from the Bell Canada Economic Development Fund to support the Connect Haliburton study; make a submission to

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IN OTHER WORDS

Columnists and Letters to the Editor

Send in the clones

This week, I read about the latest trend in hair restoration with more than passing interest. Although it's virtually impossible to tell from the photo accompanying this column, I'm about to admit something that just might astound those readers who marvel with envy at my luxuriant, flowing locks. Believe it or not, my hairline has receded some. Oh, I know the photo shows conclusive evidence otherwise, but, actually, that's just because of the way I comb it.

Yes, it's true – that shaggy mane you see atop my chiseled Clint Eastwood-like features has retreated imperceptibly over the years much like the glaciers that formed this rugged land of ours. And though this in itself would hardly be noticeable, unfortunately, when combined with the unprecedented advances made by my forehead over the last decade or so, this spells major hair trouble. It's a horrible secret I've kept to myself until now. Though I could have kept it hush-hush to my grave, I say now is no time for vanity. But, of course, that's what makes me so great.

I am determined not to suffer alone any longer, which, coincidentally, is what I said just prior to marriage, too. I believe it's high time everyone knew of about my secret battle against baldness and its root causes. Only then will other follically-challenged brethren be able to hold their heads up high and say, "Hey world, I know it's not obvious, but underneath this baseball cap or combed forward bang is a forehead you could use to signal passing water bombers."

Yes, I do it for future generations.

Having said all that, there's no need to despair. Modern science is on the case, even as we speak, ready to pull the rug out from companies that exploit men by selling overpriced wigs or spray-on hair. Hairgenics Inc. of San Francisco has even announced that for a mere \$50 entry fee and \$10 annually they will preserve your hair samples in a special underground vault.

There it will wait until science perfects the art of hair cloning. Hair loss experts suggest that this technology could be developed within the next 10 years.

Though I'd rather not coif up the money, it's got me thinking that I might stash a bit of my own hair in a zip lock bag. Maybe there's still a chance for me to have a brush with greatness. Wow! I'm excited. So much so, that, I've written a song and I'm willing to donate the proceeds to hair-cloning research. After all, when it comes to hair, I want to do my part. Hope you like it.

Send in the clones
(to the tune of Send in the Clowns)

Isn't it strange?

It brings me to tears,
Your head holds a whole lot of hair,
Mine just holds ears
Where are the clones?

Isn't this great?

Soon I'll be hip
I'll have a whole lot of hair
Not just on my lip
Send in the clones

Just when I'd stopped using shampoo
Finally admitting that car wax would do
Making my entrance without any hair
Wearing a toque
To prevent glare

You don't love sparse
Hairlines, I fear?
I thought that you'd like this chrome dome
My dear!
Send in the clones,
Oh soon they'll be here
No, I'm not rich,
but I'll pay I fear,
I see no hair in my rear view mirror
And where are the clones?

There ought to be clones!
Well, maybe next year.

Please give generously or I'll keep writing songs.



BEYOND35

Steve Galea

Geez, that was real Olympic spirit, eh?

That was some Winter Olympics, eh? The McKeever brothers standing tall and proud on the winners' podium. Lauren Woolstencroft bringing home the gold in skiing. Pierre Pichette making great saves in net for the men's hockey team.

Not the way you remember the Olympic Games in Salt Lake City? That's because I'm talking about the other Games – the 2002 Paralympic Games. They, too, took place at Salt Lake City, but several weeks after the glory boys and girls of the Olympiad had packed up their gear and their trainers and their managers and gone home.

The Paralympics are much younger than their bigger brother – this is only the 7th incarnation – but they're important. Important enough to generate support from the governments of 35 nations. They kicked in dough towards the training and travel expenses of more than 500 disabled performers from around the world.

The Paralympics provide a place to

shine for athletes from six different disability groups – but they don't focus on the disabilities of the athletes. And they certainly don't obsess about the gold-silver-bronze medal count.

Still, I'm not surprised if you haven't heard about them. They don't get much respect, the Paralympics. Oh, some of the bigger newspapers send their B teams of columnists and the games get a few inches on the inside pages, behind the latest NHL and NBA results. Occasionally you'll see a fleeting clip buried in the nightly TV newscast, but the truth is, the professional sports world doesn't spend a lot of ink or air time covering these Other Olympics.

A pity, considering what the original

Olympics have become.

When the modern Olympic Games were launched back in 1896, amateurism was a compliment, not a sneer. The venues were austere, the conditions for the athletes Spartan and the rules forbiddingly strict: only amateur athletes would be eligible to participate. The only prize: a crown of olive branches.

A little over a century later, the games are unrecognizable. They are awash with corporate sponsorships and multi-millionaire pro athletes. The Olympics have become a mega-billion-dollar industry.

Municipalities spend king's ransoms for the privilege of hosting the Games, hurling themselves into whirlpools of debt building arenas and stadiums they can't

afford in exchange for a 15 minute civic cakewalk on the world stage. Networks shell out hundreds of millions of dollars for the broadcast rights. Journalists descend by the thousands, often outnumbering the contestants five to one.

And presiding over it all, the International Olympic Committee. The most bloated and corrupt gang of bagmen, grafters and freeloaders this side of Caligula's entourage. These guys hold the keys to the Olympic kingdom and they know it. They get to select the host cities and they spend the years between Olympiads swanning around the globe, gliding in limos from five-star hotel to five-star hotel, being wined and dined and bribed and massaged by prospective and increasingly desperate civic supplicants.

As for the athletes, they are – aside from a tiny handful of events – hardly amateurs. When Team Canada and Team USA lined up on the ice before that

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ARTHUR BLACK

Columnist

Peter Rigby asks if he will have to be the next one to leave

from page 8

SuperBuild for funding to build a new county welcome centre; re-introduce the Chamber newsletter and Business-After-Hours meetings; re-design membership fees and introduce training programs; visit businesses in all townships with the Haliburton County Development Corporation; make presentations to the Trillium Lakeland School Board to keep the schools in Dorset and Gooderham open; provide financial support to organizations such as the Minden Heritage Tour, County Winterfest Committee and the Highland Games to assist them in promoting their events outside of the county; re-design the Chamber web site to better promote the Chamber and all of its members; make quarterly visits to both county and township councils to keep them apprised of activities and to gather information on issues of concern

that the Chamber could assist in; develop an information package for site locators and businesses looking at moving to the county; attend economic development trade shows in order to identify potential businesses to bring to the county; commence developing the OMAFRA Business Retention and Expansion study; and finally, as stated in my performance review, "It was particularly noted that the Chamber has been seen in a much more positive light than in recent years. This is in part due to his networking and in part due to his enthusiastic participation in community life."

Earlier I said that it is important to stick to the facts, to avoid innuendos and whis- pers, here are some more facts:

I received a performance appraisal,

based on a review form developed and prepared by current Chamber president Diana Ferguson (even though I never had a job description), which gave me an overall satisfactory rating, including meeting expectations on reporting to the

board and in overseeing accurate accounting and budgeting procedures.

Mrs. Ferguson volunteered to look after the financial books and records, for in her words, she thought I had enough to do in implementing the Randolph Report, and she was right.

Any time that a budget was presented to county council, the board approved it prior to submission. Yes, based on my 2001 submission, the Chamber's contribution was to be \$100,000, \$50,000 through membership and \$50,000 from

other sources. I am sorry that Mrs. Ferguson was not part of the discussion so that she would be able to understand where the numbers came from.

Also Mrs. Ferguson talks about putting checks and balances in place, when checks and balances were already in place and Mrs. Ferguson was the one who set them up, including a requirement that I obtain board approval on any disbursement over \$250.

It is my intent to remain here in the county and to continue contributing to the economic life of the county and not to be made to feel as if I should leave. Yet this county has a history of people who have left due to conflicts that have arisen between what they were hired to do and the personal agendas of others in the community. Am I to be the next one?

Peter Rigby
Minden

TO THE EDITOR
Times readers write

For the love of music

Glen Carter trades teaching teenagers for teaching a group of retired novices

Story and photos by **MARTHA PERKINS**
Special to *The Times*

Every Thursday afternoon, all the animals who live around Glen Carter's house on Lake Kashagawigamog are treated to a concert. The pieces are a little short and there are the occasional squeaks and squawks, but let it be said the creation of music is always a beautiful thing.

Inside the house, the 12 people gathered in the living room can't spend a lot of their time looking out on the picturesque view of the lake. Instead, their gaze is focused on the music sheets in front of them, their attention riveted on matching the notes on the page with the sounds coming out of their instruments.

In the middle of the group sits Glen Carter. Until last June, he was the music teacher at Archie Stouffer Elementary School. Although he was popular as a teacher, band lessons were not always the favourite activities of the 13- and 14-year-old set and getting his young students to practice was sometimes a bit of a chore.

Not so with these students. "These are all people who want to be here," Carter smiles. "They're very coachable. You don't have to round them up from the playground and tell them it's time for band practice."

"This is the most fun of almost anything I do," says Omar Walmsley, who's learning how to master the enormously rich sound of the tuba. "I'm loving it."

The group does not have a formal name, but it's serving as a "feeder" group for the Highland Winds Symphony. Carter calls it the Highlands Winds Ensemble. He hopes that, as his adult students become more confident with their instruments, they'll start playing for the HWS, one of the Highlands' active amateur musical groups.

In fact, local audiences will have a chance to hear the ensemble play at the Highland Winds

Symphony's annual spring concert, June 15, at the Northern Lights Pavilion in Haliburton. The ensemble will play one piece and four members will join the HWS for another.

The group got its start last August at the instigation of Keith Burns. As a retirement project, he had picked up the alto sax and got Laurie Reddering (who replaced Carter at ASES) to give him a few lessons. Practising at home in West Guilford wasn't getting him far, though. "When you're alone you pick up bad habits," he says.

He contacted Carter, who agreed to volunteer his time to teach music and the group of novice players soon banded together. (The exception to this is tuba player John Stouffer, already an accomplished local musician.)

They now number 11 and more members are always welcome (although it is starting to get to be a tight squeeze in Carter's living room). The Thursday group is really for people who don't know how to play an instrument — one of the clarinetists didn't even know what a whole note was — so if people already know how to play, they're invited to join the Highland Winds Symphony instead.

Afternoon practices are informal. Carter teaches, but more by gentle persuasion. Working from *The Canadian Brass All-Purpose Band Book*, with music chosen and arranged by Mountain Lake resident Walter Barnes, each group member is given the choice of what piece they'll play. When they get around the circle, about an hour and a half after they arrived, it's time for the practice to end.

It is assumed, of course, that when they go home, members will spend part of the next week practising.

"That's the rumour," smiles clarinetist Carol English.

If you are interested in the Thursday afternoon ensemble, please contact Glen Carter at 457-2862.



Omar Walmsley plays the tuba.



John Pugh plays trumpet.



And so does Bas Bouthoorn.

MIXED LOB BALL

--TEAM ROSTERS--

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CAPTAIN: Dwayne Warburton
Co-Captain: John Stephenson
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 Larry Anderson
 Leah Anderson
 Justin Bull
 Mike Clewlow
 Bryan Hughes
 Barb Jennings
 Glen Jennings
 Jean McLoughlin
 John McLoughlin
 Bob Sully
 Ashley Taylor
 Laura Trach

TEAM TWO

CAPTAIN: Darren Gilbert
 Corey Casey
 Kelly Garbutt
 Darnell Gilbert
 Tracey Gilbert
 Matt Hamilton
 Jason Horsley
 Gary Kernohan
 Caleb Loughheed
 Amanda Manser
 Niki Sisco
 Paul Walker
 Courtney Wilson
 Kris Windover
 Tracey Robinson
 Duane Wruth

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Co-Captain: Winnie Danilko
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 Dave Camelon
 Yvonne Casper
 Mark Comeau
 Curtis Danilko
 Scott Danilko
 Kayla Denty
 Amand Dequire
 Janet Horsley
 Anita Marshall
 Peter Sheffee
 David Lacey
 Kurt Teevens

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CAPTAIN: Keith Foster
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 Eric Bell
 Trevor Clement
 Jammie Cowen
 Andrea Draker
 Jean Draker
 Steve Draker
 Greg Harrison
 Jason Harrison
 Brandi Hewson
 Greg Perrott
 Vicky Perrott
 Marita Schrader
 Denise Vick

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Co-Captain: Dayle Smith
 Nadine Bull
 Jai Denty
 Chris Eskelin
 Gavin Gartshore
 Rick Kellestine
 Doreen Kellestine
 Gavin McElwain
 Matt McElwain
 Michelle Miscio
 Daryl Windar
 Keith Johnson
 Heather Johnson
 Kelly Winder

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 Mike Yaworowski

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 Scott Phillips

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2002 MIXED LOB BALL SCHEDULE



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Money owing must be paid at first game.

	(#1) NEW DIAMOND 6:45 p.m.	(#2) OLD DIAMOND 6:45 p.m.	(#3) UPPER DIAMOND 6:45 p.m.	(#1) NEW DIAMOND 8:00 p.m.	(#2) OLD DIAMOND 8:00 p.m.
May 15	1 vs 10	2 vs 7	3 vs 4	5 vs 6	8 vs 9
22	9 vs 10	4 vs 8	1 vs 2	3 vs 6	5 vs 7
29	8 vs 10	6 vs 7	5 vs 9	1 vs 3	2 vs 4
June 5	3 vs 9	1 vs 8	4 vs 6	5 vs 2	7 vs 10
12	2 vs 6	9 vs 7	1 vs 5	3 vs 8	4 vs 10
19	2 vs 7	3 vs 9	8 vs 6	4 vs 5	1 vs 10
26	1 vs 6	10 vs 5	4 vs 9	2 vs 8	3 vs 7
July 03	3 vs 10	2 vs 5	1 vs 7	4 vs 6	9 vs 8
10	8 vs 4	6 vs 7	3 vs 5	2 vs 10	1 vs 9
17	5 vs 9	8 vs 1	2 vs 3	10 vs 6	4 vs 7
24	2 vs 6	4 vs 10	7 vs 9	3 vs 8	1 vs 5
31	1 vs 2	7 vs 8	9 vs 10	6 vs 5	3 vs 4
Aug 07	1 vs 3	2 vs 4	8 vs 10	5 vs 7	6 vs 9
14	4 vs 9	10 vs 5	3 vs 7	1 vs 6	2 vs 8
21	8 vs 5	3 vs 6	2 vs 10	7 vs 4	1 vs 9
28	1 vs 4	2 vs 3	8 vs 5	10 vs 7	6 vs 9
Sept 04	4 vs 5	1 vs 7	6 vs 8	2 vs 9	3 vs 10
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Hop, skip and a jump

by ALLISON TAYLOR
Times staff

There's just something about skipping that makes kids happy.

Dressed in shorts and athletic gear, water bottles in tow with enough energy to be moving for hours, at least 200 Archie Stouffer students from Grades 3 to 8 jumped in the school gymnasium last week, to raise money for the Heart and Stroke Foundation.

As part of the Jump Rope for Heart campaign, the students raised over \$6,900 for the one-day event.

"We've been doing this for seven years now to

help the Heart and Stroke Foundation," says Grade 5 Teacher Betty Mark, who along with Dan LaPierre, physical education teacher at ASES, helped to organize day.

"It's great physical activity for the kids," she says.

At least one student from each team had to be jumping for a full two hours. Many students jumped alone, while others found jumping in pairs or threesomes was more appealing. Some groups even jumped through hula-hoops (left) for a new challenge.

Above 12-year-old Steffy MacKenzie got into the groove, while her friends turned the rope.

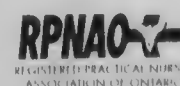
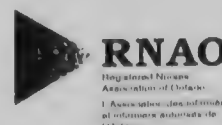
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Labour of love

A Burnt River couple donated their time and a hand-crafted trophy to a world championship shooting event

by JERRY GROZELLE
Times staff

A relatively new shooting sport has become so popular that a World Championship in the discipline will for the first time this year. It's called F-Class and was initiated about 20 years ago by an avid shooter who could no longer compete in traditional matches because of failing eyesight and other physical limitations associated with the aging process.

In F-Class competition, shooters are allowed to use telescopic sights and bipods. The inventor wanted to continue shooting with his friends and asked if they would mind if he shot alongside them using a scoped rifle. They agreed and the seeds of F-Class were planted.

"Other shooters joined the first and over time there were enough participants to hold a shoot of their own," said Keith Cunningham, co-owner of MilCun Marksmanship Complex located near Kinmount.

Cunningham and his partner (business and life) Linda Miller are both world class full-bore rifle shooters and they operate a training business for competitive shooters as well as police and military snipers. In addition, Cunningham is a highly skilled gunsmith who builds custom competition and sniper rifles.

With their passion for the shooting sports, Miller and Cunningham decided they would sponsor the trophy for the World F-Class Championships and after a long gestation period, the MilCun Trophy was born.

The trophy was a labour of love for several individuals and companies. The most impressive of them was artist Craig McLeod of Fenelon Falls who carved the scene of a wolf and a craggy spruce in relief in front of a target. The work pure art, carved in walnut and attached to a maple background. McLeod says he spent 40 hours a week for four weeks to complete the carving. Miller says she thinks he underestimated his time by as much as 50 per cent.

"Even at McDonald's wages, we wouldn't be able to pay for his time," Cunningham said.

All of the work on the trophy was supplied by residents who live north of Highway 7.

The wood was supplied by Henry Vant Erve of Rosedale and Barrie native Michael O'Donnell was the engraver. The only connection to the trophy from the GTA was the maker of the case, Clydesdale Custom Case Co. Ltd. of Pickering.

Cunningham and Miller will be on hand



Keith Cunningham and Linda Miller, owners of the MilCun Marksmanship Complex near Kinmount, had this trophy hand made for the World F-Class shooting championships. The inaugural event will be held from August 26 to 28 at the Connaught Range near Ottawa. Photo by Jerry Grozelle.

to present the trophy at the inaugural match, to be held at the Connaught Range near Ottawa on August 26 to 28.

The F-Class competition is shot at a distance of 700, 800 and 900 metres.

"We're hoping one of us will be able to present it to the other," Miller said with a

chuckle. They will both be competing at the event against the top shooters from around the world.

Miller and Cunningham were both reluctant to place a dollar value on the trophy, but they are planning to insure it for \$30,000.



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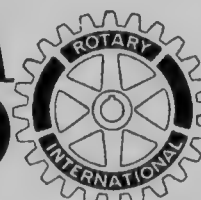
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Laurie Scott, the Haliburton-Victoria-Brock candidate-of-record, remains as president of the association for a second term. She will be assisted by John Macklem as vice-president.

Also on the Executive are Gerry Walker as second vice-president, Art Ward as past-president, Margot Fawcett as secretary, Larry Todd as treasurer, and Marlene Burns as membership secretary.

The largest complement of directors ever assembled in this riding will comprise the board of directors.

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These 24 directors will be involved in fund-raising and other pre-election activities.



Laurie Scott, the Haliburton, Victoria, Brock candidate of record for the PC party, will stay on as president.

For more information about the work of the Riding Association call Laurie Scott at 738-7780 or John Macklem at 454-3043.

Martha Perkins/TIMES



And so it begins

Andy Paul of the county roads department takes measurements of elevations along County Road 121 in preparation for the reconstruction project between the Ingoldsby turn off and the Allsaw bridge. Cruickshank Construction has been hired to repair and resurface the road bed. The work is scheduled to be completed by the end of June. Until then, expect delays along the road.

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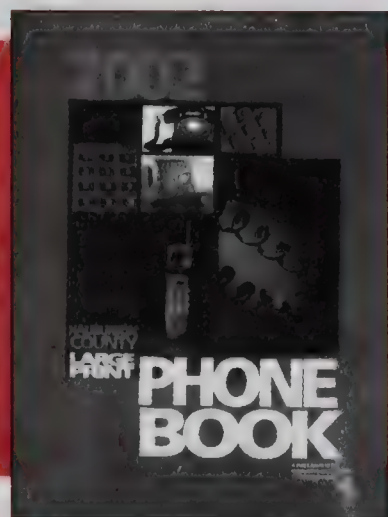
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Getting fingers dirty

Grade three students from Archie Stouffer Elementary School got to play in the dirt last week, while learning about plants and soils for their science class. For eight weeks the students will be helping Bonnie Pentney, the youth-coordinator for the Horticultural Society, prepare soil, compost and weed the gardens at the County Town Museum. In the classroom, students will be planting marigold and sunflower seeds, and eventually transporting the full-grown plants to the gardens at the museum.

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Council gets cheesie

After much discussion, Algonquin Highlands council decided to forego beef on a bun for the annual appreciation party and will host a wine and cheese party instead

by ALLISON TAYLOR
Times staff

To barbecue or not to barbecue that was the question at the Algonquin Highlands council table last week.

When it comes to making party decisions, council just can't seem to make up its mind.

This year the big entertaining controversy was over an appreciation dinner (or barbecue) to honour volunteers in the township, and the possibility of throwing a smaller Christmas party for staff and council members.

With more than 350 volunteers in the township, and another 60 staff (including spouses) council flip-flopped on how to host a get-together for municipal volunteers while showing appreciation to the staff at the same time. The catch was ensuring the township didn't have to spend oodles of dollars, without making either the volunteers or the staff do all the work.

"It's a little daunting now because there's so many of us," said Reeve Eleanor Harrison.

While financial woes were at the top of the concern list, council quickly became apprehensive over separating volunteers from staff and council at different shindigs.

Perhaps Deputy-Reeve Don Shortreed summed it up best, after a 15 minute discussion, when he said, "you can't make everyone happy."

Councillor Kerry Lock spent several hours at a separate meeting with deputy-clerk Angie Bird, trying to come up with several scenarios for the big event.

The discussion started last Monday when council was trying to decide how much money should be budgeted for the appreciation dinner or barbecue. After finally deciding to put \$5,000 aside for the event, the confabulation started again at council a few days later.

Lock and Bird suggested a barbecue atmosphere with beef on a bun and salads as the main fare for the volunteers. With a price-tag of around \$7 a person for the barbecue meal and games, they recommended council and staff have a separate Christmas dinner.

After a brief discussion, Councillors didn't seem sold on the idea.

Keep in mind that a few years ago the former township of Stanhope had a difficult and lengthy discussion between mashed potatoes or roasted potatoes for the heavily mulled over Christmas dinner. Last year the council had problems deciding how it should host a Christmas party.

This year it wasn't the beef that was causing the problem.

"I don't like the idea of separating the staff and volunteers," said Councillor Jim Hicks.

Other councillors weren't crazy about the idea either.

Then alcohol became another factor.

Reeve Eleanor Harrison said the feedback from the Christmas party last year was positive, but many people suggested the township consider serving a glass of wine or beer, she said. Last year it was an alcohol-free event.

Hicks then recommended a wine and cheese event for volunteers, staff and council, where people could drop in and leave after a short time.

"It's not complicated and people can flow in and out as they please."

Back to the beef.

Back to the cheese.

Beef, cheese, beef, cheese — discussion went back and forth for a short time.

As long as beer was an option, Shortreed said he was game for an informal 'meet and greet' type of event.

"I don't drink wine," he said, "but if there's alcohol we'll have to make sure there are designated drivers."

In the end the cheese beat the beef.

Lock and Bird still have to work out the details before council makes its final decision.

"This is like déjà vu," Lock said.



Councillor Kerry Lock will work out the details and report back to council

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Wedding bells for health programs

Health for Life hopes to produce healthier community

by CATHY OLLIFFE
Times staff

Beth Archibald calls it a marriage and it seems an apt term for the merger of several health-oriented partners under an umbrella called Health For Life.

Haliburton Highlands Health Services (HHHS) and the Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge Health Unit (HKPR) are the two main partners in this new project but many other community organizations are involved, all with one goal in mind: to prevent chronic disease by creating a healthier environment to live in.

"We wanted something that was general in nature," said Archibald, the director of community health services for HHHS, "to be able to address the prevention of chronic diseases."

Diabetes, heart problems, cancer and so many other conditions have three common risk factors: tobacco, nutrition and exercise. In the past, there were individual programs like the Diabetes Prevention Network and Heart Connection using individual funding sources and working alone to combat their own diseases. Now these two programs have combined under the Health For Life banner, pooling funding and resources to better serve the community as a whole.

It's a unique concept that has attracted attention from provincial health officials like the Ontario Healthy Communities Coalition and the Ministry of Health. Archibald says that coalition representative Leila Sherriff has said, on more than one occasion, that the Health For Life initiative is "light years ahead" of other projects in other communities.

And Anne-Marie Cyr, a public health nurse with the HKPR, says the Ministry of Health "is looking at our program as one of the most successful programs in the province."

Cyr, Archibald and Robin Anthony, project coordinator of Health For Life, gathered in the lobby of the Haliburton hospital March 26 to talk about their new program.

"We wanted a name that was generic in nature to be able to address the prevention of chronic diseases," Archibald said.

"The risk factors for most lifestyle diseases are the same," Cyr added. "It made sense to bring the community partners together under one name."

The real name for the new program is Health for Life: Taking Action for Healthy Living, but the principals have shortened it for obvious reasons.

They say the biggest plus about the new amalgamation is financial.

"Our community is now able to do more with a smaller amount of money," Cyr explained. "Where we had youth programming, now we have more youth programming."

The whole she-bang was celebrated at a day-long launch party March 23 at the Hyland Crest auditorium in Minden. There was free coffee and healthy snacks; boogieing with Haliburton Dance Artists; children's activities coordinated by Archie Stouffer School Council and the Trails and Tours Network; cooking demonstrations with a registered dietitian; a "Fit Over Fifty" fitness demo; Tai Chi with Logie Macdonnell; a Youth Group demonstration of climbing, kayaking and hackey sac; draw prizes; and, of course, speeches from local dignitaries, including MP John O'Reilly.

"It was a great day. It was wonderful," Anthony said. "I don't think there was a glitch ... there was lots of food and lots of activity."

"I think they did a wonderful job and I was totally impressed," Archibald added.

As much as there was a lot going on, the launch didn't even come close to encompassing all the different community activities Health for Life is involved with. Basically, if any individual or group has an idea for creating fitness or nutrition opportunities for the community, then the Health for Life organization will consider getting involved - either through a subsidy or some other way.

Some people might be surprised to find out just how many activities Health for Life is connected with. There's the Diabetes Prevention Network, which includes a new support group for diabetics and their families (see separate story); aquasize (swimming fitness), the "Try It" program which encourages people to try different things to increase their fitness; the Climax Climbing Club; the Thursday Night Supper Club for youth; a Kayak Club for youth; school nutrition programs; Trails & Tours; the Good Food Box program; supermarket tours; disc (Frisbee) golf, recently approved for Head Lake Park in Haliburton; Dr.

Norm Buttum's jogging group; a fitness class for people in wheelchairs; a hip-hop course; food banks ... the list goes on and on.

"Some of it is so simple," Cyr said. Like helping to pay for swimming pool space if the aquasize instructor donates some of her teaching time.

And it may seem like Health for Life shells out a fair bit of money for nutrition and fitness but, as Archibald pointed out, "Prevention, in the long run, is so much cheaper" than paying the high cost of medical care.

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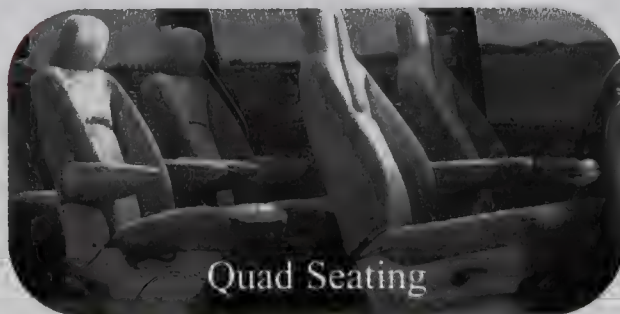
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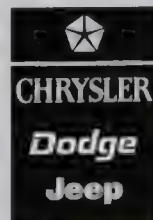
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Joanu, Derek Nesbitt, Zach Pierson, Tyler Watson, Dallyn Smith, Joe Gallagher, Ian Sachs, Mike Lennox, Max Ambridge, Ryan Scheffee, Kenton Winn and John Petch. Photo by Donna Fry

Highland Storm players celebrated a winning season in style

by JERRY GROZELLE
Times staff

Jim Winn was surprised when new president of the Highland Storm Minor Hockey Association presented him with a Coach and Volunteer of the Year Award at the association's awards presentations on April 28.

Winn served as the association's first president and he was a member of the steering committee that investigated the possibility of amalgamating the Minden and Haliburton minor hockey associations. He was also the head coach of the Highland Storm Pee wee AE team, which went all the way to the all-Ontario finals.

Winn was very appreciative of the award, but he noted that the success of his team was the combined effort of all the coaching staff as well as the players. Team officials included Gary Burtch and Drew Mitchell (neither of whom had a kid on the team), Brian Sachs, Tracy Nesbitt and Tim Smith.

Winn also served as president of the Haliburton Huskies Minor Hockey Association before the amalgamation. He is pleased with the way the first season of the new association went. "We had 266 players this year," he said. That was about 30 more than the Minden and Haliburton associations had combined.

"I've coached for 11 years," Winn said. "I can honestly say there was less interference from parents this year than

there was in the past. The parents respected the coaches and allowed them to do their jobs. They let the referees referee and they let the players play."

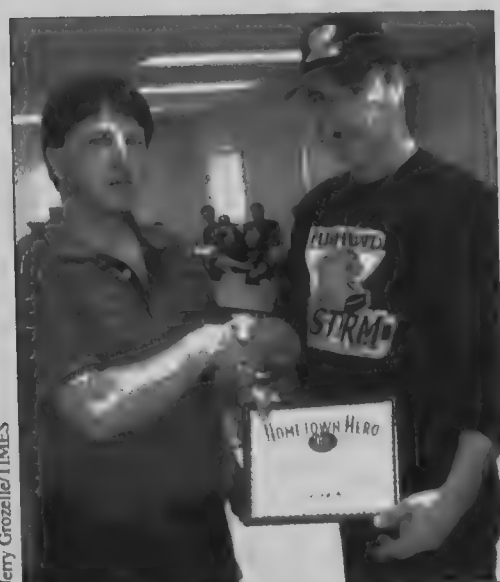
Carpenter also presented three Hometown Hero Recognition awards.

Wade MacInnes, Mark Freeman and Claude Parish were the recipients.

MacInnes was the driving force behind the success of the County League. Freeman coached the Novice B2 team to the league championship and Parish is a long-time minor hockey supporter and has served as head referee for many years.

Players from all levels were presented with plaques and trophies to commemorate a successful first season.

And the winners are...



(Far left) Highland Storm president Greg Carpenter presents Mark Freeman with a Hometown Heroes Recognition Award at the Highland Storm Minor Hockey Awards ceremonies.

(Middle) Jim Winn, Past President of the Highland Storm Minor Hockey Association, was presented with a Coach and Volunteer of the Year Award (left) Wade MacInnes, right, receives a Local Heroes Recognition Award from Highland Storm President Greg Carpenter.

Kulas and 73's win seventh game clash

by JERRY GROZELLE
Times staff

Minden native Nick Kulas and his Essex 73's Junior C Hockey Club teammates will have the team name etched on the Clarence Schmalz Cup. The 73's earned a hard-fought victory in the all-Ontario Junior C championship final series against the Uxbridge Bruins, winning game seven 2-1 in Uxbridge on April 29.

Winning the first two games, the 73's seemed to have the opposition's number, but the persistent Bruins battled back, pushing the series to the limit, forcing a seventh and deciding game in Uxbridge.

"It was a great series," said Nick Kulas last Wednesday evening, moments after returning home to Minden from Essex, where he played hockey while attending St. Clair College in Windsor. "The last time a championship final series went seven games was 1991."

Results of the first three games were reported in the feature on Kulas in the April 22 edition of The Times. Nick's dad Bill Kulas said he has had numerous calls asking how Nick's team was faring in the finals.

Uxbridge evened the series with a 5-3 win in game four. The fifth game saw Essex blank the Bruins 4-0, but Uxbridge edged the 73's 4-3 in game six, forcing a one game, winner-take-all showdown in Uxbridge last Monday evening.

A few of the members of the Uxbridge Bruins were teammates of Nick Kulas when he played for the Lindsay-based Central Ontario Wolves. "After the final game, the Uxbridge coach took me into the dressing room," Kulas said. "I congratulated the goalie and the team on a great series and they all stood up and gave me a round of applause."

During the last four games of the series, Kulas scored one goal and assisted on three more.

Including regular season and playoffs, the Essex 73's had a record of 53 wins, 13 losses and eight ties.

The town of Essex will honour the 73's with a parade on the May 24th weekend.

With his hockey season over and his second year of college behind him, Nick Kulas is back in Minden until he returns to college in the fall. He said he hasn't secured a summer job yet, but he expects to get summer employment in construction.



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Climbing to the top of Toronto

Stephen Walker and Brenda Wilcox of Minden climbed 1,776 stairs on April 20 in Toronto to reach the top of a wonder of the world - the CN Tower. Walker raced the stairs in 15 minutes and 43 seconds, and not far behind was Wilcox at 17 minutes and 41 seconds. Long distance running, cycling and weight training help the pair stay trim and fit all year long, but there's not doubt it's a race to the top each year. The annual fundraising event was in support of the World Wildlife Foundation.

Ken and Marie Thompson take home highest average

Carnarvon Wednesday Afternoon Bowling League awards

The awards night for the Carnarvon Wednesday Afternoon Bowling League were held on May 1, with the following individual awards presented:

Men's high average - Ken Thompson 220
Ladies' high average - Marie Thompson 187
Men's high single - Bob Bullen 335
Ladies' high single - Mona Benn 295
Men's high single (handicap) - Fred Phipps 326
Ladies' high single (handicap) - Jean Pugh 363
Men's high single flat - John Whitty 737
Ladies' high triple - Betty Trapp 638
Men's high triple (handicap) - Bill Trapp 805

Ladies' high triple (handicap) - Janet McGrath 788

First series winner - Les Rascals: Marie Thompson, Solveg Stout, Marc Scherer, Betty Trapp and George Hamilton

Second series winner - Dancers: Syd Lockhart, Mona Benn, Vic Ross, Diane Boll, Vern Stout and John Whitty

Third series winner - Alley Cats: Ken Thompson, Jacquie Chamberlain, Ed McGrath, Dorothy Comrie, Diane Platt and Fred Phipps

The Dancers won the A division playoffs and the overall championship, while the Underdogs were the B Division winners. The Underdogs included team members Avard Edwards, Vicki Ross, Carol Snow, Bill Trapp, Judy Phipps and Bev Hunt.

The most improved bowler was John Platt.

Validation tag draw extended

The Ontario government is taking special measures to ensure qualified moose hunters can apply to the draw for moose adult validation tags. The draw deadline is extended to June 14.

Hunters with an expired hunting outdoors card would normally be able to renew through the automated telephone and Internet, as well as at Ministry of Natural Resources district offices. However, due to the Ontario Public Service Employees Union (OPSEU) strike, these

options are not currently available. The ministry is extending the deadline to allow all qualified hunters more time, once services resume, to renew or get an outdoors card. They will then be able to purchase the required licence and enter the draw.

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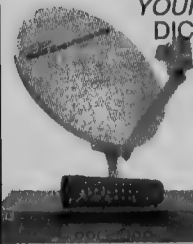
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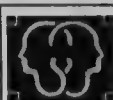


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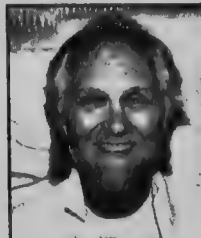
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Lacing up sneakers in Minden and Florence

by ALLISON TAYLOR
Times staff

I walked around a corner in Florence's Galleria dell'Accademia. At the far end of the corridor stood David, Michelangelo's gigantic, overpowering nude marble of the Bible hero, as he prepares to slay Goliath. Sixteen feet high, but David seems even bigger. I felt a power flow out that hit me.

For the next hour, I returned to see David several times and each time I was moved by that power. I wondered if I was being a klutz, but I found later that others felt exactly the same. Truly, it was one of the great experiences of my life.

This was a year ago. I had gone to Florence as part of a two week Elder Hostel course. Florence is where the Renaissance started. It was the birth place of Leonardo, Michelangelo, Botticelli and Dante. It was home to Raphael before he moved to Rome.

Florence is like Disneyland, only real. Unlike Frontierland's make believe, Florence not only is Renaissance land, but it's the really thing. These are the streets where Leonardo and Michelangelo walked and they carry real people driving to real jobs.

"Extensive standing and walking (approximately five kilometres a day) including stairs at museums, churches and monuments," the Elder Hostel catalogue advertising this course warned. My age was 74, far too old to attempt anything this strenuous.

Fortunately, I walk and exercise almost daily so I not only could do it, but I could join my 75-year-old roommate, Ed Edwards, in climbing the garden path up where we looked over the roofs of Florence, including the Duomo (cathedral).

And right there is the reason why I'm a member of the

Sneaker Day organizing committee. Its purpose is to promote walking as a way of finding a fuller and healthier life, regardless of age. That I could go to Florence on such a vigorous trip shows that I'm reasonably fit. I believe that Sneaker Day will show others how to do the same.

Sneaker Day is this coming Friday. Beginning at 11 a.m., trekkers will set out from the Gazebo by the Gull River bridge, for a 2.75 k.m. ramble along the nature trails behind the library and the arena.

Seeing the treasures of Florence must be close to impossible for anyone who doesn't keep in shape. Cars are prohibited in the downtown and elevators are few.

I also saw other wonderful things. I can't count the number of times I've seen pictures of the leaning bell tower at Piza Cathedral. No matter, when I walked around a corner and it came into view, my eyes wouldn't believe that they were seeing.

Pisa is built on swampy ground like Minden. Foundations are poor, so the bell tower, the baptistry and the Cathedral all lean, in different directions.

The medieval bridge, the Ponte Vecchio, across the Arno River is so beautiful, that when the Germans retreated from Florence in World War II, the general refused to destroy it, despite orders from Hitler. Instead he piled it with rubble that it couldn't be used for months.

After David, my favourite piece of art was at two-foot statue of Mary Magdalen in the Museum of the Duomo



Morris Duff and Ed Edwards take a day off at the beach in Viareggio Italy.

by Donatello. It shows Mary as a haggard, emaciated woman, her face filled with torment. It is such a realistic look at an old harlot that it seems more 20th century than renaissance.

One other health hint. My aged prostate is large. Public toilets are few. I drank no coffee for two weeks and it worked. A year later, I'm certainly glad I went to Florence. It was so great I want to return. And I'm glad I keep myself in reasonable enough shape to have the freedom to do so.

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Well, its May and I just left the keyboard to turn up the furnace. Apparently May is named after Maia the Greek goddess of growth. By legend, she was the oldest and most beautiful of the seven sisters who now reside as bright stars in the Pleiades constellation. If it ever stops raining and the evening skies are starlit again I plan to have a chat with her about our garden growing needs.

On a warmer note, I spent the last morning of April with a great group of Minden Health Care Auxiliary members who are giving a welcome hand with the "Bravery Bears." Donna Monk, Auxiliary President, extends an invitation to all bridge players to attend the Bridge Luncheon on Wednesday, May 22 at noon in the Auditorium of the Hyland Crest Senior Citizens Home. Tickets are available at the Gift Shop at a cost of \$7 per person. For more information call 286-4531.

A last reminder to come to the "Spring Thing" Bazaar this Saturday, May 11 at the Kinmount Community Centre, starting at 10 a.m. Members of the Kinmount and Area Artisans Guild will be offering a wide variety of handcrafted items for home, cottage and Mother's Day. See you there.

Thanks to Carol Miles, Co-ordinator of the Minden County Town Museum, for the update on the many activities planned there for June. The Annual Yard Sale will be held on Saturday, June 8, starting at 9 a.m. Tables are available for rent and clean, useful donations accepted. On June 15 at 2 p.m. in the Minden Community Centre, the Museum will be hosting "Sentimental Journey" a fashion show with a historical twist. Fashions from 1850-1970's will be featured, along with timely musical selections, special guests and refreshments. Tickets are \$8 advance or \$10 at the door. Why not get your team of two ready (no experience required) for the Annual Croquet Challenge and Social Tea at the Museum on June 16 at 1 o'clock. Be forewarned, the Minden Horticultural Team plans to vigorously defend its title. For more information on any of these events or to order Fashion Show tickets give Carol a call at 286-3588 or 286-3154.

Forms for vendor space at the Fifth Quilt, Rug and Fibre Arts Show, which will also be held at the Minden County Town Museum on July 26-28 are available. There is also a Quilt Block Contest with a "Stars" Theme. All blocks will become the property of the Museum, to be made into quilts for museum fund-raising. As both the vendor forms and the completed quilt blocks must be returned by June 28, it would be wise to call Linda 286-4988 or Sue 286-2996 now for more detailed information.

Scoring news:

Thursday, April 25 euchre at the Minden Legion Branch 636: Most lone hands winners were Lois



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Adamson for the ladies and Neville Whiteside for the gents. Esther Lee took the ladies' high score honours and Orville Francis the men's. Second high scores went to Verna McDonald and Jayme Longfield, while Milton Fletcher, Kay Orr, Ed Hisson and Orville Francis went home with the special prizes

Friday, April 26 duplicate bridge at Echo Hills, Haliburton: In first place with 65% were Reet Murray and Jim Aikman followed by Jacqueline and Kelly Metcalf with 58% and the duo of Muriel McIntosh and Ross Fletcher in third with 53%.

Saturday, April 27 bid euchre at Staunworth Terrace, Minden: Somewhere between our reporter Ruth Kellett's kitchen table and my computer, the specific scoring information went astray. She reports an enjoyable afternoon of cards and reminds the group that there will be a complimentary lunch Saturday, May 11 at noon, followed by cards at 1 p.m. Another special news note was that her son Don and his wife Joy came up from Columbus, Georgia for an enjoyable visit with their mothers Ruth Kellett and Beulah Hewitt.

Monday, April 29 cribbage at the Minden Legion Branch 636: Gwen Cox was the first place winner with Ed Hisson second. Draws went to Don Burch, Margaret Albers, Brenda DeGuire, Helen Cox, Ed Hisson and Kim McCabe. Everyone was pleased to hear that Jean Scadden is doing so well and send along their good wishes for her continued speedy recovery.

Monday, April 29 euchre at Club 35, Halls Lake: For lone hands and ladies high score, it was a family affair with winners David and Loretta Lamb. High man was Harry Randell, low lady Helen Windsor and Cliff Woolner gets double mention for low man and the baloney.

Monday, April 29 euchre at the Friendship Club, St. Paul's Anglican Church, Minden: Katie Parker reports that it was Don Hicks and Pearl Cowen taking most lone hands and Bill Van Dyke and Gladys Wruth recording the men/ladies high scores. Hidden score winner was Gwen Cox, with Betty Barlow and Bill Mosley low lady/man.

There was a pair of "skunks" going to Fern Donnelly (first time) and Joyce Ritchie while draws went to Gwen Cox, Joyce Ritchie and Lynda Jones.

Monday, April 29 bid euchre at the Kinmount Legion Branch 441: In first place was Marjorie Paradis followed by Joan Taylor. Moonshot winners were Bill St. Thomas, Marjorie Paradis and Vic Ballik, who also won the special draw.

Tuesday, April 30 euchre at Gelert: Emily Harvie was high lady and Jean Schellenberg low, with Orville Francis high man and George Bartley low. For lone hand the winner was Isabelle Saunders while Hazel Benetin took home the special prize.

Tuesday, April 30 Stanhope Fire Hall Seniors Social Club mixed shuffleboard: It was the team of Betty Lockhart and Helen Skelding in first place with 500 points, Pearl Cowen and Shirley Alderton second with 427, followed by Syd Lockhart and Marvel Eager with 398. Bob Alexander and Hazel Dorman held the low score of 109. Congratulations to Beverley Alexander on receiving the Annual Trophy for The Most Points Accumulated.

Tuesday, April 30 bid euchre at the Minden Legion Branch 636: First place went to Rob Evans, followed by Ruth Kellett, Trudy Kroes and Elli Langpohl. There were four moonshots, with singles to Esther Lee and Marcel Roussel and two for Gladys Wruth. Hidden score winners Don Burch, Sharon Evans and Jim Corbett joined in the birthday good wishes for Isabel Cherwenka.

Tuesday, April 30 contract bridge at Stanhope: Pearl Foster had the highest score of 5660 and also partnered with Ev Morgan to take the only "slam." In second was Betty Dicker 5170, third Betty Roszell 5000 and fourth Diane Boll with 4500. Lucky draw winner Betty Schlotter joined everyone in extending congratulations to Len McNeice winner of the "007 Special Award." Its namesake James Bond would have expected at least his usual martini to accompany the award.

Wednesday, May 1 duplicate bridge at Park Lane, Haliburton: Gladys Fajar and Norma Crewson were the winners with 56%, followed by Fred and Ev Vanderland with 55% and Betty and Ernie Kellar with 53%.

Wednesday, May 1 euchre at Stanhope: The "Moonshot Quartet" members were Esther Lee, Milton Fletcher, Ross Fletcher and Verna Sawyer. For the pinks, Verna Sawyer took high score with 301, followed by Marion Farr 280 and Pat Roussel 277. Chris Clarke led the whites with 328, along with Marcel Roussel 322 and Dick Coffey 305.

Wednesday, May 1 euchre at the Kinmount Legion Branch 441: In the high score department, Joan Freeman was first and Joyce Schellenberg second for the ladies, with Bob Vick and Roger Fournier for the men. Low lady/man were Joan Taylor and Jim Corbett. Joanne Freeman also took the most lone hands, with Isa Hilyer and Jim Corbett winners of the special prizes.

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The next Seniors Friendship Luncheon at the Dorset Recreation Centre is scheduled for Thursday, May 9 at noon. To reserve your spot or for more information, please call Donna Nairn at 789-0876.

A Lake of Bays Anglican Parish combined service will be held at St. Mary Magdalene's in Dorset, on Sunday, May 12 at 10:30 a.m. to honour the incumbent,

Maureen Hair's first celebration of the Eucharist after her ordination to the priesthood on May 6. (Congratulations Maureen!) The Reverend Canon John Thompson will be preaching and the organist will be Heather Briant. The service will be followed by a luncheon.

Lana Lee Austin, from Jane Marshall Flowers, will be providing a demonstration on flower arranging and talking about house plants on Wednesday, May 15 at 7:30 p.m. at the Dorset Recreation Centre. All are welcome to this free event, which is sponsored by the Dorset Bloom Committee.

Tickets for the Annual Black Fly Dance on Saturday, May 18 at the Stanhope Fire Fighter's Hall will be available at the Dorset Recreation Centre. Tickets are \$15

DORSET NEWS

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per person and include the dance and a light buffet. There will be a live band (not just recorded music!) for this year's dance. The band plays a mix of rhythm and blues and pop from the 60's to today.

Contact 766-9968 to find out more.

The Dorset Seniors' Centre All You Can Eat Spaghetti Dinner and Auction Sale is set for Tuesday, May 21 at 5:30 p.m. Tickets are \$6 per person and everyone is welcome. Dinner includes spaghetti plus all the fixings; Caesar salad, garlic bread, dessert, tea and coffee and a chance at a door prize. Don't forget to bring your own dishes and cutlery. Take-out (for pick up) is available. There are lots of great items for auction again this year. The Club is located on Hwy. 117.

Tickets for the 23rd Annual Dorset

Firefighters' Pig Roast are going fast. The Pig Roast will be on Saturday, May 25 and the tickets are \$25 per person. For tickets, please call Donna Keul at 766-9253.

Get well wishes are in order for Weldon Tracey who broke his leg last week. Weldon was taken to hospital in Barrie for orthopedic surgery and is expected to be returned to Bracebridge hospital and home by this week. Get well soon, Weldon.

Birthday greetings go out to Audrey Whitworth, John Thompson, Bill Johnson, Greg Kernohan, David Wright, Al McMullen and Judy Carpenter. Happy Birthday everyone!

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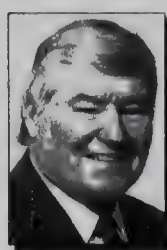
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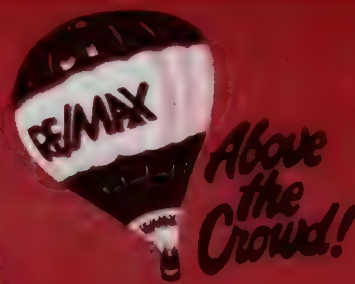
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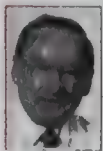
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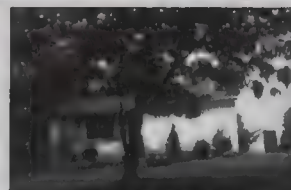
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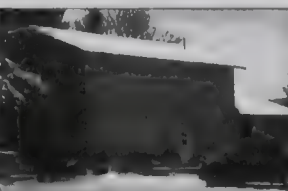
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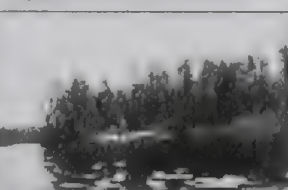
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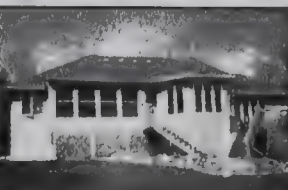
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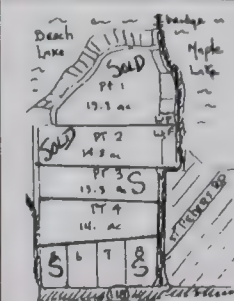
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- **Mondays:** C.H.A.C.E. Resource Centre Supper at C.H.A.C.E. Minden, 4 - 7 p.m. \$4 per family. Call Julie at 286-1770, and ask "What's for Dinner?"
- **Wednesdays:** Job Talk - 1:00 - 3:00 p.m. Learn to speak up in a job interview, free, make new contacts. Call to register, 457-3412.
- **Wednesdays:** Activity morning at C.H.A.C.E. Resource Centre, Minden. Themes for the month of April will be birds, nursery rhymes, fitness and mud puddles. We are also open once again from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m.
- **The Haliburton Highlands Prostate Cancer Support Group** meets the 3rd Tuesday of every month at 7:00 p.m., in the Fireside lounge at the Hyland Crest Senior Citizen's Home in Minden. All men and the women who love them are welcome. For info., please call Rick Ratcliff at 286-6699 or email: leacliff@sympatico.ca.
- **May 6:** The Alzheimer Society Support Groups are holding an informal support meeting. You are welcome to attend. Bring your concerns. We will bring the refreshments. You are not alone. Haliburton, Alzheimer Office at 4 York St., 10 - 11:30 a.m. For more info. call Jan Bottom at 457-8335.
- **May 8:** The Alzheimer Society of Peterborough & Area Haliburton Office Open House, 12:30 - 2:30 p.m. Haliburton Family Medical Centre, 4 York St., Haliburton. Come and meet the staff and see the office. Call Janet at 457-8335 if you have any questions.
- **May 10:** 8th Annual Minden Sneaker Day Walk from 11:00 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. Contact Morris Duff at 286-6079 for info.
- **May 11:** Kinmount Artisans Guild Bazaar at the Community Centre in Kinmount, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., Hwy. 121 and Co. Rd. 45. The Guild's Artists and Crafters will be offering everything for your garden, house and cottage as well as their bake sale. Lunch and refreshments will be available all day. Drop in and win various door prizes. Arrive with flowers in your hair or paint on your face and get free coffee and cookies.
- **May 11:** Introduction to meditation and Buddhist teachings with Karma Chime Wongmo at the Dharma Centre of Canada, 1886 Galway Rd., Kinmount, (705) 488-2704, www.dharma-centre.org
- **May 11 & 12:** Haliburton/Stanhope Airport Pancake Breakfast/Brunch/Lunch. Start off the summer flying season with a trip to one of Ontario's prettiest airports. We are an easy trip from Toronto, North Bay, Kingston, or Ottawa. Pancakes served 9:00 - 1:00.
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- **May 14:** H.H.S.S. OAC Biology Students present "An Evening by the Water" at 7:30 p.m. at the Northern Lights Pavilion, Haliburton High School. Junior Heritage Awards presentation by Hon. Chris. Hodgson. Special slide presentation "The Kash, Fish Study". Free refreshments. Everyone welcome.
- **May 16:** Highland Ladies On the Go Social (LOGS). Topic: Opportunity to enjoy a heritage experience: Learn about the first Red Cross Hospital in Ontario. Leadership: Hilda Clark. For the May 16 event please telephone 286-4922 for the location and indicating your interest. Please plan on bringing a contribution to the Food Banks. Watch for future LOGS events. Locations will vary from social to social. Plan on attending and bring a friend.
- **May 18:** Hot and Cold Buffet sponsored by the Kinmount U.C.W. at the Kinmount Legion from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. Adults \$10, children under 10 \$4, and preschoolers free.
- **May 19:** 27th Annual Firework Display by Norland Firefighters Association held at Ward Park on Hwy. 35 at dusk. A cost of \$10 which is used for next year's display. Please come and support us while you enjoy the "work" and visit our snack bar too.
- **May 21:** Victoria County Kennel Club meets the third Tuesday of the month. The guest speaker this month will be speaking on carting. Guests are welcome. Meetings take place at the Doggie Den, 59 Mary St. W. (behind the Christian Faith Fellowship), Lindsay, at 7:30 p.m.
- **May 22:** Bridge Luncheon - Minden Health Care Auxiliary is hosting a Bridge Luncheon at Hyland Crest Senior Citizens' Home in the Fireplace Room, at 12 noon. Cost \$7/person. Tickets available at the M.H.C.A. Gift Shop (Hyland Crest Entrance) or phone 286-4531. Proceeds to the Minden Health Care Auxiliary.
- **May 23:** The Tim Heming Memorial Golf Tournament and BBQ will be held the afternoon of May 23. Please contact Sally at 286-4922 for location, registration details and how to make prize donations. Open to adult golfers interested in an outrageously fundraising fun time.

Events listings are provided **FREE** for non-profit groups on a space-available basis. While we endeavor to accommodate requests for publication, we cannot guarantee that all requests for listings will appear. Requests should be faxed to The Times at 286-4768, emailed to editor@mindentimes.on.ca., or brought in to the office. **NOTE:** This calendar is **NOT A COMPREHENSIVE LISTING OF ALL EVENTS** taking place in the area. Please check the classified pages, display advertising and articles appearing elsewhere in The Times for more information on events and in the Highlands.

Full of beans

Hyland Crest residents played bingo, and tossed bean bags last week.

We are now into the month of May and although the weather again this week doesn't seem to know this, the good news is we hear the water levels are starting to rise to a more acceptable level. We are all glad. Where would we be, here in the heart of cottage country, without sufficient water for our vacation guests to enjoy.

The weather seems to be playing on everyone these days, we guess all are anxious for summer to arrive.

Our Lady of Fatima Minden Catholic Church group hosted the Tea Party last Thursday afternoon. They brought with them a large birthday cake, which was half white and half chocolate. Everyone was happy to have a choice, especially since it was our Birthday Tea. Our hosts were gracious and good company.

Fridays are our afternoon of fun, with Happy Hour and entertainment. This week the Grandfathers and Leisa were joined by Jeff Barry, making for a delightfully lively afternoon. We always know we'll be well entertained when the Grandfathers and Leisa are scheduled.

Bingo upstairs, and later bean bag toss and bowling downstairs, were on the itinerary for Saturday. If one wanted to he or she could have been busy all day - but not all can keep up the pace.

Sunday Rev. Burgess was here for his usual visit. So many enjoy his familiar face and little one-on-one chats. Sunday lunch ended with a special treat for dessert. We all enjoyed chocolate and/or butterscotch sundaes. The afternoon went by like a breeze with the Norland Hillbillies back again livening up our home with their music.

Monday we met our new CEO during an informal gathering held in the upper dining room with coffee and muffins. His name is Keith Sansford and on behalf of residents and staff we welcome him to Hyland Crest.

We had bingo Monday afternoon, with Nancy calling the numbers and helping us out. We spread the wealth around with Vera Stevens, Margaret Besse, Edna Trumble, Lilian Harrison and Mary Goldsmith all leaving as the winners they are.

Monday evening we gathered downstairs to chat, our topic was animals and opposites. The evenings are much shorter as time slips by when you are having fun and keeping your mind active. Germaine Levesque and Keith Brannigan battled it out while having a fun filled evening they managed to make everyone laugh.

Tuesday Rev. Randy Warburton led us

in Chapel with an inspiring message. Thank you for your well-chosen words.

Crafts and fresh baked cookies brought Hilda Gillespie, Mildred Gartshore and Keith Brannigan together downstairs for an interesting craft activity led by Dana. Crafters upstairs with Dottie and Brenda were busy preparing place mats for Mothers Day. Don't forget Mom this year! We are forewarning you - Mothers Day is Sunday the 12th, so you have no excuses this year.

Wednesday Mary Robinson, Hilda Gillespie, Bea Britain and Germaine Levesque all went to the birds - well actually they took the birds with them as they enjoyed massage and skin care. It seems our budgies and their singing make for a relaxing atmosphere during a massage.

This past week only showed one table of card players. Mary Goldsmith and Alice Sedgewick played Blanche Wright and Margaret Besse. Mary and Alice nudged ahead three games to two and were crowned winners. While cards were being played, Maria Pawluch baked some delicious chocolate chip cookies. This could explain where the rest of our card players were.

Leisure Bath was enjoyed by Muriel Welch. She reportedly said little, but hummed to the music in complete contentment. This seems to prove the old saying "actions speak louder than words."

Wednesday night and Pub Night brought out the Norland Hillbillies with the usual great music and more poetry readings. This makes for a nice change of pace and mixes well with their music. We have get well wishes for Jean Dutka and Laura Fitzell - here's wishing them a speedy recovery.

We will also take this opportunity to thank the Minden Health Care Auxiliary for the many little jobs and extra favours they do for us. Anyone wishing to support this hard working group may do so by attending the Bridge Luncheon at Hyland Crest on May 22. The event starts at noon. The tickets are only \$7 and are available at the Gift Shop.

May Birthday wishes go out to Keith Brannigan on the 2nd, then Mary McCallum, who celebrates on the 3rd. Alice Rivers, will be sharing her day with a very special birthday lady Beatrice Britain who will be celebrating 100 years on May 21. Shhh don't tell Beatrice, but we're having a birthday party for her that day!

Until next week take time to enjoy and joy will come to you.

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Notice to Creditors and Others

All claims against the Estate of Herman Biegler last of Minden, Ontario who died on or about the 27th day of March, 2002.

Must be filed with the undersigned personal representatives on or before the 10th day of June 2002. After which date the estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which the estate trustees than shall have notice. Dated at Whitby this 29th day of April 2002.

Kathleen Power, Estate Trustee
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Whitby, On.
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Vacancies will soon exist on the Board of Directors of the Haliburton Highlands Health Services. The HHHS has a broad mandate to oversee and develop an integrated health service.

Individuals interested in participating on committees are also invited to submit letters.

Volunteers interested in the health services of our area should forward a letter, with resume, by May 24, 2002 to:

Jack Brezina, Chair, Board of Directors
Haliburton Highlands Health Services
P.O. Box 115, Haliburton, Ontario K0M 1S0
fax to 705-457-1071
email to: hhhs@halhinet.on.ca

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MINDEN HILLS

NOTICE OF PASSING OF BY-LAW NO. 02-29 APPLICANT - CAMPBELL'S GARDEN CENTRE AND FLOWER SHOP - ANNE NEAVE RZ-01-12

TAKE NOTICE, that the Council of The Corporation of the Township of Minden Hills passed By-law No. 02-29 on the 25th day of April, 2002 pursuant to Section 34 of the Planning Act, R.S.O. 1990, c.P.13, as amended.

AND TAKE NOTICE, that only individuals, corporations or public bodies may appeal to the Ontario Municipal Board in respect of the By-law by filing with the Clerk of the Township of Minden Hills, not later than the 31st day of May, 2002, a Notice of Appeal setting out the objection to the By-law and the reasons in support of the objection, accompanied with the fee prescribed under the Ontario Municipal Board Act. An unincorporated association of group may not file a Notice of Appeal. However, a Notice of Appeal may be filed in the name of an individual who is a member of the association or group on its behalf.

THE PURPOSE of the amendment is to amend the zoning category on approximately 0.38 hectares (0.962 acres) of land, located in the geographic Township of Minden, as Part of Lots 4, 5 and 6 East of Seymour Street and Part of Lots 5 and 6 West of Teesdale Street, Registered Plan No 1, Town Plot of Minden, from the Business Park (BP) Zone to Business Park Exception (BP*39) Zone.

THE EFFECT of the zoning amendment is to permit commercial uses including but not limited to a flower shop and garden centre. This exception also recognizes existing yard encroachment of the existing former dwelling located thereon.

THE LAND affected by the amendment is shown on the Key Map attached.

A copy of the complete By-law is available for review at Minden Hill's satellite office, being the former Lutterworth Municipal office, during regular office hours.

Mr. Brendan Bérubé

Planning Administrator
P.O. Box 359
Minden, ON K0M 2K0
(705) 286-1541

May 6, 2002



THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MINDEN HILLS

NOTICE (File No. SRA01-60) Applicant - ALBERT MITCHELL

IN THE MATTER OF the Municipal Act; and
IN THE MATTER OF a proposed by-law of the Corporation of the Township of Minden Hills to stop up, close and convey to the adjoining landowner, portions of the original shore road allowance along the shore of Canning Lake, lying in front of Lot 15 and Lot 16, Concession 2, in the geographic Township of Minden.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 300(1)(a) of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1990, as amended, that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Minden Hills proposes to consider, and if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held in the Municipal Council Chambers on Milne Street, Minden, Ontario, on May 23, 2002 at the hour of 10:00 a.m., a by-law to stop up, close and convey those parcels of land more particularly described as follows:-

Part of the original shore road allowance along the shore of Canning Lake, lying in front of Lot 15 and Lot 16, Concession 2, geographic Township of Minden, designated as Part 4, 6 and 8 on a Plan of Survey 19R-7271, registered April 16, 2002.

The plan of survey is available for inspection in the former Lutterworth Municipal Office, Hwy. #35 South of Minden, Ontario during regular office hours.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before passing the said by-law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above-mentioned, the Council shall then and there, hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected by the said by-law and who applies to be heard.

DATED AT THE Township of Minden Hills, this 22nd day of April, 2002.

Brendan Bérubé,
Planning Administrator,
P.O. Box 359, 7 Milne Street,
Minden, Ontario. K0M 2K0

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THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MINDEN HILLS

NOTICE

(File No. SRA-01-69)

Applicant - DORIS GODARD

IN THE MATTER OF the Municipal Act; and

IN THE MATTER OF a proposed by-law of the Corporation of the Township of Minden Hills to stop up, close and convey to the adjoining landowner, portions of the original shore road allowance along the shore of Kashagawigamog Lake, lying in front of Lot 25, Concession 5, in the geographic Township of Minden.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 300(1)(a) of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1990, as amended, that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Minden Hills proposes to consider, and if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held in the Municipal Council Chambers on Milne Street, Minden, Ontario, on May 23, 2002 at the hour of 10:00 a.m., a by-law to stop up, close and convey those parcels of land more particularly described as follows:-

Part of the original shore road allowance along the shore of Kashagawigamog Lake, lying in front of Lot 25, Concession 5, geographic Township of Minden, designated as Part 2 and 3 on a Plan of Survey 19R-7245, registered February 13, 2002.

The plan of survey is available for inspection in the former Lutterworth Municipal Office, Hwy. #35 South of Minden, Ontario during regular office hours.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before passing the said by-law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above-mentioned, the Council shall then and there, hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected by the said by-law and who applies to be heard.

DATED AT THE Township of Minden Hills, this 22nd day of April, 2002.

Brendan Bérubé,
Planning Administrator,
P.O. Box 359, 7 Milne Street,
Minden, Ontario. KOM 2K0

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MINDEN HILLS

NOTICE

(File No. RA-01-24)

Applicant - ALBERT MITCHELL

IN THE MATTER OF the Municipal Act; and

IN THE MATTER OF a proposed by-law of the Corporation of the Township of Minden Hills to stop up, close and convey to the adjoining landowner, portions of the original allowance for road between Lot 15 and Lot 16, Concession 2, in the geographic Township of Minden.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 300(1)(a) of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1990, as amended, that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Minden Hills proposes to consider, and if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held in the Municipal Council Chambers on Milne Street, Minden, Ontario, on May 23, 2002 at the hour of 10:00 a.m., a by-law to stop up, close and convey those parcels of land more particularly described as follows:-

Part of the original allowance for road between Lot 15 and Lot 16, Concession 2, geographic Township of Minden, designated as Part 12 on a Plan of Survey 19R-7271, registered April 16, 2002.

The plan of survey is available for inspection in the former Lutterworth Municipal Office, Hwy. #35 South of Minden, Ontario during regular office hours.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before passing the said by-law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above-mentioned, the Council shall then and there, hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected by the said by-law and who applies to be heard.

DATED AT THE Township of Minden Hills, this 22nd day of April, 2002.

Brendan Bérubé,
Planning Administrator,
P.O. Box 359, 7 Milne Street,
Minden, Ontario. KOM 2K0

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MINDEN HILLS

NOTICE

(File No. SRA-01-40, SRA-01-41 & SRA-01-42)

Applicant - MOORE, HUTTON AND FAIRBROTHER

IN THE MATTER OF the Municipal Act; and

IN THE MATTER OF a proposed by-law of the Corporation of the Township of Minden Hills to stop up, close and convey to the adjoining landowner, portions of the original shore road allowance along the shore of South Lake, lying in front of Lot 3, Concession 13, in the geographic Township of Snowdon.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 300(1)(a) of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1990, as amended, that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Minden Hills proposes to consider, and if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held in the Municipal Council Chambers on Milne Street, Minden, Ontario, on May 23, 2002 at the hour of 10:00 a.m., a by-law to stop up, close and convey those parcels of land more particularly described as follows:-

Part of the original shore road allowance along the shore of South Lake, lying in front of Lot 3, Concession 13, geographic Township of Snowdon, designated as Part 1 (Fairbrother), Part 2 (Hutton) and Part 3 (Moore) on a Plan of Survey 19R-7155, registered August 27, 2001.

The plan of survey is available for inspection in the former Lutterworth Municipal Office, Hwy. #35 South of Minden, Ontario during regular office hours.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before passing the said by-law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above-mentioned, the Council shall then and there, hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected by the said by-law and who applies to be heard.

DATED AT THE Township of Minden Hills, this 22nd day of April, 2002.

Brendan Bérubé,
Planning Administrator,
P.O. Box 359, 7 Milne Street,
Minden, Ontario. KOM 2K0

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF MINDEN HILLS

NOTICE

(File No. SR-10/00)

Applicant - ALEXANDER & PAMELA RIGSBY

IN THE MATTER OF the Municipal Act; and

IN THE MATTER OF a proposed by-law of the Corporation of the Township of Minden Hills to stop up, close and convey to the adjoining landowner, portions of the original shore road allowance along the shore of Davis Lake, lying in front of Lot 7, Concession 1, in the geographic Township of Lutterworth.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 300(1)(a) of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1990, as amended, that the Council of the Corporation of the Township of Minden Hills proposes to consider, and if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held in the Municipal Council Chambers on Milne Street, Minden, Ontario, on May 23, 2002 at the hour of 10:00 a.m., a by-law to stop up, close and convey those parcels of land more particularly described as follows:-

Part of the original shore road allowance along the shore of Davis Lake, lying in front of Lot 7, Concession 1, geographic Township of Lutterworth, designated as Part 1 on a Plan of Survey 19R-7257, registered March 7, 2002.

The plan of survey is available for inspection in the former Lutterworth Municipal Office, Hwy. #35 South of Minden, Ontario during regular office hours.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before passing the said by-law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above-mentioned, the Council shall then and there, hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected by the said by-law and who applies to be heard.

DATED AT THE Township of Minden Hills, this 22nd day of April, 2002.

Brendan Bérubé,
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- **Feed yourself and your family well:** tips and tricks with Rosie Kadwell. May 8, 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m., St. George's Anglican Church, Haliburton. Call Rosie Kadwell, 457-1391 to register.
- A workshop with Lynda Shadbolt to **connect with our core strengths as mothers** 2 - 6 yrs., May 27, 10:00 - 11:30, Stedman's Mall, Haliburton. Call Family Services, 457-5345 to register.
- **Be in Rhythm with your kids** with Nancy Ballantyne and Lynda Shadbolt, May 11, 10 a.m. - noon. C.H.A.C.E., Haliburton. Call Family Services 457-5345 to register.
- **A session on massage** with Jackie Ziorgen, May 15, 10:00 - 11:30 a.m. Of Sound Body, Minden. Call Family Services, 457-5345 to register.
- **Relax with your kids** with Nancy Ballantyne and Lynda Shadbolt, May 22, 10:00 a.m. - 12 noon. St. George's Anglican Church, Haliburton. Call Family Services, 457-5345 to register.

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Sat., May 18 to
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10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
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H.H.S.S. OAC BIOLOGY STUDENTS present
"An Evening by the Water"
Tuesday, May 14 at 7:30 p.m.
at the Northern Lights Pavilion
Haliburton High School
• Junior Heritage Awards Presentation by Hon. Chris Hodgson
• Special Slide Presentation: The Kash, Fish Study
• Free Refreshments
Everyone welcome

HALIBURTON HOSPITAL AUXILIARY
Lunch - Bridge - Euchre Prizes
When: Friday, May 17th
Where: Haliburton Legion
Time: 12:00 Noon
Cost: \$7.00
Proceeds for Portable X-Ray Machine

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ROCKCLIFFE TAVERN
Thursday - Karaoke
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290 COMING EVENTS

THE HALIBURTON COUNTY CHILDREN'S CHOIR
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present
"Sing Canada Coast to Coast"
Sunday, May 12 - 2:00 p.m.
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Tickets \$5
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May 11 - 25
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An Evening with...
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2nd Tuesday of each month
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Admission by donation - Refreshments
May 14
"Where Has All The Water Gone?"

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June 11
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330 YARD/GARAGE SALES

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May 11, 2002
7:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
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Saturday, May 18
8:00 a.m. - 12 noon
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YARD SALE
Date: Saturday, May 18
Time: 9:30 - 1:30
Place: C.H.A.C.E. Resource Centre, Minden (behind Sears)
All proceeds go to C.H.A.C.E. Resource Centre and Daycare Centre
Donations appreciated!
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YARD SALE
Victoria Day Weekend
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May 18 & 19
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340 AUCTIONS/FLEA MARKETS

MABEE AUCTION SALE
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10:00 am
Large auction sale:
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440 THANK YOU

THE LEE FAMILY would like to thank the doctor, nurses and staff of the Haliburton Hospital, and all the people who helped our beloved daughter, Susan (Marie) Simms, during her long illness. We appreciate all the support and lovely things that our friends and neighbours brought, as well as the cards we received. Thanks to Gord Monk and the ladies that put on the lunch at the service. Special thanks to Kathy Johnston, Yvonne Hogg, and Gala Stamp for all their wonderful help and support. **Helen and Norm**

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450 IN MEMORIAM

COX - A very Special Memory of Fred, a dear son, brother, and father, who was taken too soon from us. I carry a cross and an angel, it is not magic Nor is it a good luck charm, it isn't meant to protect me From every physical harm. It is not for identification For all the world to see It is simply an understanding Between my Saviour and me. It reminds me to be thankful For my blessings day by day And to turn to Him better In all that I do and say. It is also a daily reminder Of the peace and the comfort I share With all who knew my Master And give themselves to His care. So I carry a cross in my pocket Reminding no one but me That Jesus Christ is Lord of my life If only I'll let Him be. Forever remembered and sadly missed by **Mom, Dad, daughter Lesley, son Robert, brother Ed and daughter-in-law Deb and the boys.**

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460 OBITUARIES

AT REST
ALLEN MILTON AUSTEN
Suddenly at his residence
on Monday, April 29, 2002
In his 85th year.

Husband of the late Joyce Austen, dear father of Laura Lynn Austen of Winnipeg, Martin Austen and his wife Dawn, and Carter Austen, all of Minden. Loving grandfather of Emily, Sarah, and Jessica of Minden. Dear brother of Nelson Austen of Minden and predeceased by Jennie, Jack, Danny, Kate, Bob, Hugh, Ellen, Laura, Walter, Harry and James. Friends were invited to visit with the family at the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home Ltd., 127 Main St., Minden, on Wednesday, May 1, 2002 from 2:00 p.m. until the time of the Funeral Service at 3:00 p.m. Cremation will follow. Memorial donations to the Canadian Cancer Society or The Children's Wish Foundation would be appreciated by the family.

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HOLLAND, ELAINE (Resident of Essonville, Ontario) - At Grey Nun's Hospital in Edmonton, Alberta on Saturday morning, April 27, 2002 in her 78th year. Elaine went to sleep and awoke in the presence of God. Beloved wife of the late George Holland. Loving mother of Ruby Way (Paul), Edward (Darlene), Irvin (Henrietta), Hazel Reid (Bradley), Dale (Connie), Julia Puranen (Dennis), Richard (Diane), Marilyn Kaz (Barry), Debora Connolly (Wayne) and Barry (Debra). Fondly remembered by twenty eight grandchildren and fourteen great grandchildren. Dear sister of Jim, Rose, Chester, Charles, Carson, Caroline, Virginia and Myrtle. Predeceased by her parents Alton & Pearl Bamford, her sister Eunice and brother Ormand. Also lovingly remembered by many nieces and nephews. Friends are invited to call at the **HALIBURTON COMMUNITY FUNERAL HOME**, Hwy #118, Haliburton, Ontario (705) 457-9209 on Thursday evening, May 2, 2002 from 7-9 p.m. Funeral Service in the Chapel on Friday morning, May 3, 2002 at 11 o'clock. Interment Essonville Cemetery, Essonville. As expressions of sympathy donations Samaritans Purse or World Vision would be appreciated by the family.

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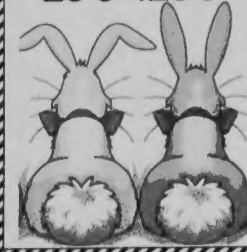
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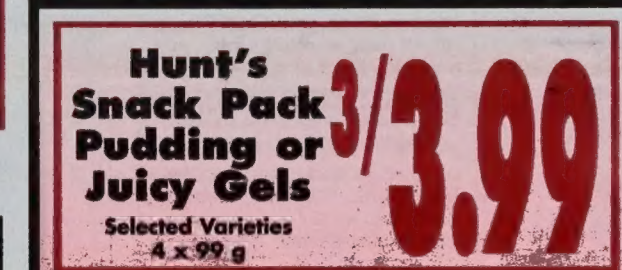
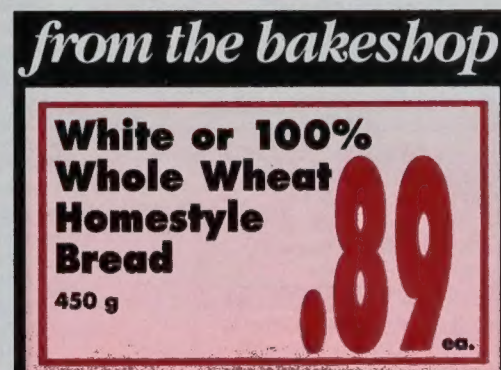
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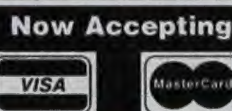
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